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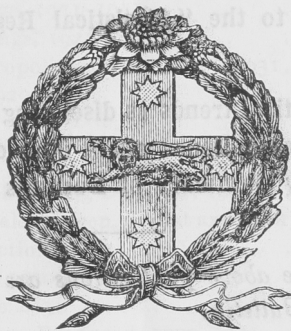
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Statistical Bulletin—Dec. Quarter, 1931.

No. 1.—Population of New South Wales and Causes of Increase. (Including Aborigines.)

Quarter.	Population at end of Quarter.	Births during Quarter.	Deaths during Quarter.	Natural Increase (Excess of Births over Deaths).	Increase in Population during Quarter by Migration. (Excess of Arrivals over Departures.)					Increase by Migration.
					Interstate.			Oversea.		
					By Land.	By Sea.	Total.			
1929—										
March ...	2,458,721	13,105	5,411	7,694	3,194	548	3,742	411	4,153	
June ...	2,464,006	13,466	5,752	7,714	(-) 1,568	(-) 95	(-) 1,663	(-) 766	2,429	
September ...	2,471,286	13,630	7,926	5,704	(-) 63	(-) 395	(-) 458	2,034	1,576	
December ...	2,479,147	12,471	5,526	6,945	(-) 882	(-) 155	(-) 1,037	1,953	916	
Year ...	...	52,672	24,615	28,057	681	(-) 97	584	3,632	4,216
1930—										
March ...	2,485,199	13,030	5,261	7,769	(-) 532	1,030	498	(-) 2,215	(-) 1,717	
June ...	2,486,735	12,658	5,331	7,327	(-) 2,103	121	(-) 1,982	(-) 3,809	(-) 5,791	
September ...	2,495,109	13,712	5,520	8,192	51	285	336	(-) 154	182	
December ...	2,502,039	12,736	5,140	7,596	(-) 1,078	166	(-) 912	246	(-) 666	
Year ...	...	52,136	21,252	30,884	(-) 3,662	1,602	(-) 2,060	(-) 5,932	(-) 7,992
1931—										
March ...	2,506,086	12,417	4,813	7,604	(-) 1,149	123	(-) 1,008*	(-) 2,549	(-) 3,557	
June ...	2,508,601	12,207	5,101	7,106	(-) 1,764	(-) 603	(-) 2,264*	(-) 2,327	(-) 4,591	
September ...	2,514,529	11,677	6,178	5,499	731	(-) 285	417*	12	429	

* Includes 18 in March Quarter, and 103 in June Quarter, excess of arrivals over departures by air, and 29 excess of departures over arrivals in September Quarter. (—) Denotes excess of Departures over Arrivals.

No. 2.—Net Migration to and from New South Wales.

Excess of Arrivals over Departures. (—) Denotes excess of Departures over Arrivals.

Country.	Total 1929.	1930.					1931.		
		March Quarter.	June Quarter.	Sept. Quarter.	Dec. Quarter.	Total 1930.	March Quarter.	June Quarter.	Sept. Quarter.
Interstate—									
Victoria ...	30	779	488	70	(-) 1,607	(-) 270	(-) 313	(-) 106	441
Queensland ...	(-) 721	(-) 628	(-) 3,427	(-) 51	831	(-) 3,275	(-) 1,167	(-) 3,135	35
South Australia ...	2,181	651	438	169	73	1,331	264	2,888	33
Western Australia ...	322	236	(-) 75	29	290	480	287	(-) 32	(-) 40
Tasmania ...	(-) 1,380	(-) 180	300	41	(-) 687	(-) 526	(-) 43	(-) 165	(-) 38
Northern Territory ...	(-) 61	3	26	(-) 1	25	1	(-) 4	(-) 28	(-) 3
Federal Territory ...	(-) 47	(-) 428	255	14	98	(-) 61	(-) 115	416	(-) 47
Adjustment ...	260	65	65	65	65	260	65	65	65
Total, Interstate ...	584	498	(-) 1,982	336	(-) 912	(-) 2,060	(-) 1,008*	(-) 2,264*	417*
Oversea—									
United Kingdom ...	3,421	(-) 1,750	(-) 3,061	(-) 216	1,679	(-) 3,348	(-) 2,170	(-) 2,227	(-) 565
Canada ...	195	(-) 148	(-) 505	149	574	70	68	(-) 87	16
South Africa ...	(-) 122	(-) 127	(-) 107	(-) 57	(-) 4	(-) 295	(-) 75	(-) 77	(-) 82
Fiji ...	(-) 82	86	(-) 252	65	196	95	65	(-) 121	(-) 28
Hong Kong ...	(-) 397	(-) 337	(-) 63	(-) 60	(-) 64	(-) 524	(-) 376	(-) 143	(-) 88
India and Ceylon ...	447	43	78	14	60	195	163	(-) 2	(-) 30
New Zealand ...	446	500	1,114	(-) 241	(-) 3,013	(-) 1,640	383	979	692
Other British Possessions... ..	(-) 317	(-) 211	(-) 183	12	103	(-) 279	(-) 214	(-) 315	30
Egypt ...	36	(-) 17	(-) 30	(-) 30	45	(-) 32	(-) 102	(-) 4	(-) 14
Italy ...	334	(-) 82	(-) 78	37	344	221	(-) 51	(-) 34	(-) 30
Japan ...	(-) 8	(-) 15	13	(-) 3	18	13	(-) 44	(-) 28	5
South Sea Islands ...	137	33	(-) 45	52	(-) 36	4	38	(-) 17	57
United States of America ...	(-) 195	(-) 143	(-) 268	(-) 44	160	(-) 295	(-) 107	(-) 109	20
Other Countries ...	(-) 263	(-) 47	(-) 422	168	184	(-) 117	(-) 127	(-) 142	29
Total Oversea ...	3,632	(-) 2,215	(-) 3,809	(-) 154	246	(-) 5,932	(-) 2,549	(-) 2,327	12
Net Migration ...	4,216	(-) 1,717	(-) 5,791	182	(-) 666	(-) 7,992	(-) 3,557	(-) 4,591	429

* Includes 18 in March Quarter, and 103 in June Quarter, excess of arrivals over departures by air, and 29 excess of departures over arrivals in September Quarter.

NOTE.—The details formerly contained in these tables are published in a mimeograph statement. The statement for September Quarter, 1931, was published on 24th December, 1931.

No. 3.—Nationality of Oversea Migrants to and from New South Wales—Year 1930, and January-September, 1931.

Nationality or Race.	During Year 1930.		During January-September, 1931.					
	Total Arrivals.	Total Departures.	Arrivals.			Departures.		
			Males.	Females.	Total.	Males.	Females.	Total.
British	34,867	40,396	9,017	8,376	17,393	10,829	9,800	20,629
Danish	69	81	22	9	31	30	9	39
Dutch	107	106	34	14	48	46	28	74
French	550	532	229	177	406	252	196	448
German	340	339	102	36	138	103	36	139
Greek	162	196	32	17	49	122	8	130
Italian	667	664	151	81	232	358	51	409
Jugo Slavs	218	298	132	25	157	208	25	233
Maltese (British)	59	108	2	3	5	27	12	39
Norwegian	24	28	13	2	15	16	3	19
Russian	90	110	23	23	46	39	40	79
Swedish	50	45	20	6	26	36	5	41
Swiss	108	117	33	17	50	54	27	81
United States of America... ..	1,328	1,424	318	217	535	433	281	714
Other European	361	398	97	50	147	189	62	251
Chinese	2,056	2,350	1,199	142	1,341	1,461	140	1,601
Indians	520	315	344	26	370	272	13	285
Japanese	135	169	64	16	80	74	27	101
Syrians	45	47	14	13	27	11	10	21
Other Non-European	231	196	49	44	93	55	32	87
Total	41,987	47,919	11,895	9,294	21,189	14,615	10,805	25,420

No. 4.—Population, Births, Deaths, and Marriages—New South Wales—1920-31. (including Aborigines.)

Year.	Estimated Population at end of Year.	Births.	Deaths.		Marriages.	Annual Rate per 1,000 Population.			Infantile Mortality.
			Total.	Under one year.		Births.	Deaths.	Marriages.	Deaths under one year per 1,000 Births.
1920	2,092,989	53,974	20,961	3,770	20,183	26.09	10.13	9.76	69.9
1921	2,129,505	54,634	20,034	3,436	18,518	25.91	9.50	8.78	63.0
1922	2,174,553	55,214	19,178	2,980	17,583	25.67	8.92	8.17	54.0
1923	2,211,106	54,112	21,051	3,302	17,507	24.68	9.60	7.99	61.0
1924	2,256,090	53,670	20,821	3,191	18,077	24.07	9.34	8.11	59.5
1925	2,300,081	54,615	20,823	2,999	18,522	24.00	9.15	8.14	54.9
1926	2,349,401	53,126	22,188	3,060	19,219	22.88	9.56	8.28	57.6
1927	2,401,884	53,858	22,770	2,960	20,052	22.68	9.59	8.45	55.0
1928	2,446,874	54,800	22,694	3,008	20,076	22.59	9.35	8.27	54.9
1929	2,479,147	52,672	24,615	2,982	19,535	21.37	9.99	7.93	56.6
1930	2,502,039	52,136	21,252	2,597	17,383	20.94	8.54	6.98	49.8
Jan.-Sept., 1930	.....	39,400	16,112	2,054	13,264	21.13	8.64	7.11	52.1
Jan.-Sept., 1931	.....	36,301	16,092	1,582	11,431	19.29	8.55	6.08	43.6

NOTE.—The population of the State at the Census of 3rd April, 1921, was: Males, 1,072,424; Females, 1,029,544; Total, 2,101,968, including Aborigines 1,597 (males 923, and females 674) of full-blood.

The population is exclusive of Federal Capital Area, the population of which at the Census, was 2,572.

No. 5.—Population, Births, Deaths, and Marriages—Metropolis—1920-31.

Year.	Estimated Population at End of Year.	Births.	Deaths.		Marriages.	Annual Rate per 1,000 Population.			Infantile Mortality.
			Total.	Under one year.		Births.	Deaths.	Marriages.	Deaths under one year per 1,000 Births.
1920	900,760	22,352	9,429	1,658	11,606	25.26	10.66	13.12	74.2
1928	1,127,470	21,151	10,408	1,042	11,009	18.96	9.33	9.87	49.3
1929†	1,238,660	22,347	12,460	1,263	11,488	18.18	10.15	9.35	56.5
1930†	1,253,560	21,927	10,854	1,095	9,859	17.60	8.71	7.91	49.9
Jan.-Sept., 1930†	.....	16,622	8,181	855	7,548	17.82	8.77	8.09	51.4
Jan.-Sept., 1931†	.....	14,530	8,305	646	6,138	15.40	8.80	6.51	44.5

* Since 1st January, 1927, these figures are based on the usual place of residence.

† Since 1st Jan., 1929, the statistical boundaries of the Metropolis have been extended by the inclusion of the municipalities of Auburn, Bankstown, Granville, Lidcombe and Parramatta.

No. 6.—Shires—Population at 31st December, 1930.

Shire.	Estimated Population, 31st Dec., 1930.	Shire.	Estimated Population, 31st Dec., 1930.	Shire.	Estimated Population, 31st Dec., 1930.
Abercrombie ...	3,460	Harwood ...	4,940	Terania ...	6,640
Amaroo ...	3,240	Hastings ...	7,630	Timbembongie ...	3,900
Apsley ...	2,690	Holbrook ...	2,170	Tintenbar ...	5,790
Ashford ...	2,370	Hornsby ...	21,440	Tomki ...	4,010
Bannockburn ...	3,230	Hume ...	4,530	Tumbarumba ...	2,310
Barraba ...	2,120	Illabo ...	2,860	Tumut ...	8,440
Baulkham Hills ...	6,220	Imlay ...	4,480	Turon ...	3,120
Bellingen ...	5,170	Jemalong ...	3,510	Tweed ...	10,620
Berrigan ...	4,360	Jerilderie ...	1,530	Upper Hunter ...	4,920
Bibbenluke ...	2,620	Jindalee ...	1,950	Urana ...	2,740
Blacktown ...	11,470	Kearsley ...	23,740	Wade ...	6,000
Bland ...	8,400	Kycamba ...	4,270	Wakool ...	3,290
Blaxland ...	7,940	Kyogle ...	8,540	Walgett ...	3,160
Blue Mountains ...	7,570	Lachlan ...	5,180	Wallerobba ...	5,240
Bogan ...	2,040	Lake Macquarie ...	26,330	Waradgery ...	770
Bolwarra ...	3,400	Liverpool Plains ...	5,080	Warrah ...	1,970
Boolooroo ...	3,060	Lockhart ...	6,030	Warringham ...	15,700
Boomi ...	3,000	Lyndhurst ...	4,990	Waugoola ...	5,730
Boree ...	6,410	Macintyre ...	2,000	Weddin ...	3,320
Bulli ...	11,910	Macleay ...	7,370	Willimbong ...	7,250
Burrangong ...	5,280	Macquarie ...	4,090	Windouran ...	830
Byron ...	7,130	Mandowa ...	2,450	Wingadee ...	3,250
Cambewarra ...	1,360	Manning ...	13,010	Wingecarribee ...	4,370
Canobolas ...	5,530	Marthaguy ...	1,780	Wollondilly ...	5,140
Carrathool ...	3,850	Merriwa ...	2,370	Woodburn ...	2,920
Clyde ...	1,600	Mitchell ...	4,450	Woy Woy ...	3,110
Cobbora ...	5,290	Monaro ...	2,700	Wyaldra ...	2,090
Cockburn ...	3,820	Mulwaree ...	7,720	Yallaro ...	3,100
Colo ...	5,290	Mumbulla ...	4,160	Yanko ...	4,950
Conargo ...	1,000	Murray ...	2,560	Yarrowlunla ...	2,250
Coolah ...	1,660	Murrumbidgee ...	640		
Coolamon ...	7,600	Murrungal ...	2,270	Total, Shires ...	695,100
Coonabarabran ...	5,910	Muswellbrook ...	3,320		
Copmanhurst ...	3,090	Nambucca ...	6,640	Summary—	
Coreen ...	3,200	Namoi ...	6,830	Shires ...	695,100
Crookwell ...	5,860	Narraburra ...	4,800	Municipalities ...	1,792,520
Cudgegong ...	5,140	Nattai ...	3,970	Western Division—	
Culcairn ...	5,340	Nepean ...	2,620	Unincorporated Area	14,308
Dalgety ...	3,460	Nundle ...	1,180	Lord Howe Island...	111
Demondrille ...	3,330	Nymboida ...	2,180		
Dorrigo ...	8,070	Oberon ...	2,530	Total, State of New	
Dumaresq ...	4,520	Orara ...	1,650	South Wales ...	2,502,039
Erina ...	16,210	Patrick Plains ...	6,190		
Eurobodalla ...	4,660	Peel ...	6,660		
Gilgandra ...	4,860	Port Stephens ...	3,810		
Gloucester ...	3,920	Rylstone ...	4,520		
Goobang ...	6,010	Severn ...	5,510		
Goodradigbee ...	3,030	Stroud ...	5,740		
Gostwyck ...	4,260	Sutherland ...	12,280		
Gundagai ...	5,050	Talbragar ...	3,620		
Gundurimba ...	3,880	Tallaganda ...	2,270		
Gunning ...	3,330	Tamarang ...	2,690		
Guyra ...	6,460	Tarro ...	6,960		
Gwydir ...	1,070	Tenterfield ...	4,680		

No. 7.—Direct Oversea Trade of New South Wales by Countries.

Country.	Imports (Country of Origin). (Value in British Currency.)			Exports (Value in Australian Currency).		
	1928-29.	1929-30.*	1930-31.*	1928-29.	1929-30.	1930-31.
	£	£	£	£	£	£
United Kingdom...	23,619,283	22,200,199	9,555,320	13,011,047	11,622,586	10,830,943
Canada ...	1,921,359	1,503,111	582,525	277,437	300,279	394,235
Fiji ...	49,404	45,537	21,226	492,813	420,745	359,137
Hong Kong ...	11,066	14,304	13,390	217,989	141,789	154,792
India and Ceylon ...	3,359,247	3,299,057	1,870,104	786,783	688,304	164,347
Irish Free State ...	98	35,328	31,404	92,041	248	99,123
Malaya ...	394,765	313,010	114,273	399,471	373,250	236,857
New Zealand ...	927,639	753,489	430,728	2,467,992	2,613,661	1,946,735
Union of South Africa ...	431,060	209,769	51,068	172,372	127,297	124,266
Other Oversea British ...	1,354,310	1,071,883	526,704	1,130,113	900,420	732,468
Total, British ...	32,068,231	29,445,687	13,196,742	19,048,058	17,188,579	15,042,901
Belgium ...	306,378	387,500	134,344	3,708,508	1,867,749	1,475,133
Czecho-Slovakia ...	330,799	271,092	123,365	15,916	16,431	8,566
China ...	338,626	298,539	179,598	288,775	90,594	704,175
France ...	1,659,890	1,437,827	748,868	6,643,150	5,202,904	3,442,569
Germany ...	1,851,637	1,767,412	800,034	4,498,985	2,646,366	2,244,863
Italy ...	604,497	588,029	280,183	1,750,678	842,914	1,210,873
Japan ...	2,391,399	2,079,794	1,108,229	6,390,395	2,785,514	4,297,478
Netherlands ...	678,582	648,306	442,688	199,889	73,736	111,162
Netherlands East Indies	3,456,359	2,999,463	1,664,395	487,604	497,345	361,157
New Caledonia ...	30,951	34,032	9,980	242,627	138,370	116,685
Norway ...	292,678	220,474	72,827	590	886	16,089
Philippine Islands ...	73,933	77,343	8,104	170,372	155,215	160,611
Russia ...	62,835	80,498	59,368	597,055	137,719	1,461
Sweden ...	627,406	635,684	355,659	159,463	24,294	26,507
Switzerland ...	935,744	723,717	338,333	3,725	4,705	14,646
United States of America	16,883,404	13,946,799	5,582,135	3,166,276	3,390,697	1,554,774
Other Foreign ...	897,774	876,621	511,341	1,916,824	697,789	601,272
Total, Foreign ...	31,422,892	27,073,730	12,419,451	30,240,832	18,573,228	16,347,961
Total, all Oversea Trade	63,491,123	57,129,636	26,311,260	49,288,890	35,761,807	31,390,862

* Value of containers (£610,219 in 1929-30 and £695,067 in 1930-31) included in total—country of origin not recorded.

No. 8.—Direct Oversea Trade of New South Wales—Monthly.

Month.	Imports (Value in British Currency).				Exports (Value in Australian Currency).			
	1928-29.	1929-30.	1930-31.	1931-32.	1928-29.	1929-30.	1930-31.	1931-32.
	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
July ...	5,236,620	6,001,173	3,337,033	1,334,575	1,890,742	1,717,308	2,200,863	1,597,775*
August ...	5,942,394	5,300,929	2,792,143	1,784,756	2,329,079	1,730,897	1,438,652	1,438,197*
September ...	3,914,945	5,965,401	2,724,792	1,336,845	3,704,543	4,072,466	2,238,474	2,386,967*
Three Months	15,093,959	17,267,503	8,853,968	4,456,176	7,924,364	7,520,671	5,877,989	5,422,939*
October ...	6,498,171	4,986,230	2,588,879	1,631,864	4,872,296	3,333,886	3,028,564	4,022,807
November ...	5,352,446	5,924,079	2,405,691	1,431,948	5,634,673	3,802,942	3,086,595	3,879,283
December ...	5,277,015	4,439,693	2,444,499	1,455,340	5,830,362	3,640,418	2,898,650	3,818,384
Six Months	32,221,591	32,617,505	16,293,037	8,975,328	24,261,695	18,297,917	14,891,798	17,143,413
January ...	6,067,701	5,488,285	2,015,861	...	4,095,506	2,442,191	2,124,162	...
February ...	4,520,656	3,892,108	1,661,724	...	6,280,544	2,940,075	3,066,229	...
March ...	4,866,529	4,800,398	1,865,272	...	5,553,226	4,251,886	3,880,870	...
Nine Months	47,676,477	46,798,296	21,835,894	...	40,190,971	27,932,069	23,963,059	...
April ...	5,223,962	3,863,456	1,254,316	...	3,391,601	2,156,106	2,503,940	...
May ...	5,079,170	3,740,065	1,681,279	...	3,460,982	3,275,035	2,097,516	...
June ...	5,348,006	2,737,535	1,526,458	...	2,318,841	2,384,687	2,826,411	...
Twelve Months	63,491,123	57,129,636	26,311,260	...	49,288,890	35,761,807	31,390,862	...

NOTE.—The monthly figures are subject to alteration, and their total does not quite agree with the annual totals in this and other tables herein. * Revised.

The value of gold, bullion and specie, included in the successive years was: Imports—£200,792; £179,593 and £221,403; Exports—£177,096; £4,114,144; and £1,182,859, and in the six months ended 31st December, 1931, Imports £113,687, and Exports £1,128,985.

No. 9.—Principal Items Imported Oversea Direct into New South Wales.

Article Imported	Six Months ended 31st December.				Quarter ended 31st December			
	1930.		1931.		1930.		1931.	
	Quantity.	Value.	Quantity.	Value.	Quantity.	Value.	Quantity.	Value.
		£		£		£		£
Ale, Beer, and Porter ... gal.	17,900	6,976	16,624	4,654	4,743	1,746	7,714	2,167
Apparel and Attire ... ..	...	107,156	...	28,162	...	42,065	...	13,798
Socks and Stockings ... ..	...	34,498	...	840	...	10,317	...	541
Bags and Sacks—								
Bran, Chaff, and Fodder doz.	133,816	43,510	72,250	18,066	70,267	22,360	43,500	10,044
Corn and Flour	1,195,613	438,457	530,188	146,094	811,197	294,202	389,638	107,245
Woolpacks	76,897	142,048	100,667	141,247	2,916	5,214	10,593	13,327
Blankets, Blanketing, and Flannels...	...	3,698	...	7,147	...	1,633	...	5,677
Books (printed), etc. ... ..	...	236,381	...	146,899	...	112,625	...	72,107
Boots and Shoes ... ..	...	23,616	...	30,480	...	7,145	...	15,671
Brushware ... ..	...	36,105	...	14,142	...	14,265	...	5,008
Clocks and Watches ... ..	...	70,267	...	16,110	...	30,033	...	7,558
Cocoa and Chocolate ... lb.	1,645,559	57,205	1,882,891	36,054	758,223	25,163	790,811	13,359
Confectionery, n.e.i. ... ..	...	14,868	14,753	991	5,350	299	3,635	429
Copra	92,432	44,781	125,741	58,879	60,577	27,416	42,092	24,582
Cosies, Cushions, Counterpanes, Quilts, Table Covers, etc. ...	...	72,185	...	39,164	...	33,431	...	21,139
Cream of Tartar lb.	103,056	5,145	...	...	7,840	220	...	...
Cutlery, Spoons, and Forks, n.e.i.	...	121,323	...	32,776	...	40,724	...	13,443
Dyes ... ..	...	23,641	...	30,054	...	11,208	...	13,642
Earthenware, etc. ... ..	...	60,856	...	23,434	...	27,344	...	12,945
Fancy Goods ... ..	...	154,991	...	52,639	...	59,405	...	26,112
Fish—Preserved in tins, etc., 1,000 lb.	2,392	103,448	2,649	83,791	1,380	50,646	1,557	49,390
Floor Coverings—								
Carpets and Carpeting, etc. ...	...	140,129	...	39,986	...	57,098	...	18,565
Linoleums, Oilcloths, etc. ...	...	50,382	...	21,655	...	16,707	...	11,411
Furniture ... ..	...	15,100	...	3,251	...	5,105	...	952
Glass and Glassware ... ..	...	77,327	...	32,960	...	31,539	...	16,135
Gloves ... ..	...	62,922	...	26,838	...	13,579	...	10,702
Gold—Bar, Dust, Ingot, Sheet, and Matte oz.	29,768	93,325	33,745	113,443	16,318	51,286	17,066	62,208
Grain and Pulse—								
Maize cntl.	32	52	1	1	2	4	...	...
Oats	512	406	333	200	61	27	154	85
Rice	23,073	13,252	5,550	2,786	8,320	4,548	2,126	1,593
Gums and Resins cwt.	33,159	39,867	31,752	30,948	15,676	16,280	18,252	13,148
Hats and Caps ... ..	...	37,678	...	23,279	...	9,356	...	9,731
Iron and Steel—								
Bar, Rod, Angle, Tee... cwt.	44,478	51,902	8,354	18,453	20,606	24,790	3,922	10,118
Structural Girders, etc. ...	29,190	15,519	...	...	8,179	3,801	...	...
Pig	6,842	1,592	8,350	2,117	6,742	1,553	8,200	1,535
Plate and Sheet—Galvanised ...	40,909	35,738	901	801	14,031	11,623	493	359
Other	351,054	302,198	191,097	158,484	219,059	180,252	106,487	92,578
Jewellery and Precious Stones...	...	45,169	...	21,077	...	15,659	...	13,920
Kapok lb.	950,843	27,794	623,695	14,884	432,375	10,434	346,356	8,374
Kinematograph Films ... ..	...	171,919	...	263,359	...	131,116	...	126,243
Lamps and Lampware ... ..	...	39,662	...	24,008	...	18,002	...	16,609
Leather ... ..	...	11,761	...	5,381	...	4,628	...	2,621
Linseed cntl.	136,413	107,767	78,125	34,301	46,064	32,484	48,786	21,095
Machinery and Implements—								
Agricultural ... ..	...	33,270	...	5,722	...	9,985	...	3,042
Electrical—								
Cable and Wire, covered, cwt.	63,783	289,253	10,189	71,776	34,051	137,413	6,108	39,506
Other ... ..	...	942,934	...	225,916	...	366,736	...	93,179
Engines ... ..	...	149,827	...	18,627	...	51,560	...	11,947
Mining ... ..	...	9,908	...	3,028	...	5,091	...	1,430
Sewing ... ..	...	34,730	...	8,797	...	17,546	...	5,168
Other ... ..	...	631,919	...	223,269	...	263,933	...	112,884
Matches and Vestas, gross boxes	4	2	7	9
Medicines (Proprietary)...	...	92,248	...	57,605	...	46,657	...	27,306

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No. 9.—Principal Items Imported Oversea Direct into New South Wales—*contd.*

Article Imported.	Six months ended 31st December.				Quarter ended 31st December.			
	1930.		1931.		1930.		1931.	
	Quantity.	Value.	Quantity.	Value.	Quantity.	Value.	Quantity.	Value.
Metal Manufactures, other than Machinery (n.e.i.)—		£		£		£		£
Pipes, Tubes, and Fittings ...	...	105,907	...	24,756	...	61,149	...	13,378
Wire ...	...	28,773	...	14,491	...	13,140	...	8,896
Wire-netting ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Miscellaneous ...	...	266,598	...	111,295	...	109,208	...	57,578
Musical Instruments—								
Pianos ...	No. 16	1,340	...	...	2	253	...	...
Parts ...	...	2,177	...	120	...	63	...	94
Oils—								
Petroleum and Shale Spirit, Benzene, etc. 1,000 gal.	27,486	732,237	19,032	269,826	15,866	404,151	11,912	174,903
Kerosene ... 1,000 "	4,660	105,836	3,664	57,855	1,812	39,443	2,107	33,984
Lubricating (Mineral) 1,000 gal.	2,628	175,892	1,415	87,292	1,143	74,535	687	45,438
Residual ... 1,000 gal.	1,082	7,684	6,481	26,135	564	4,875	2,431	9,622
Paper—Printing ...	...	431,626	...	398,175	...	205,550	...	207,582
Writing, and Typewriting (plain) etc.	...	93,392	...	62,116	...	40,316	...	34,889
Wrapping ...	...	41,441	...	34,595	...	16,614	...	18,909
Piece Goods—								
Canvas and Duck ...	...	75,711	...	42,740	...	31,550	...	22,835
Cotton ...	...	999,194	...	875,672	...	332,438	...	370,954
Linen, n.e.i. ...	...	47,597	...	41,497	...	20,533	...	21,837
Hessians, Brattice Cloth, and other Jute ...	...	88,026	...	73,702	...	26,803	...	37,601
Silk, etc. ...	...	849,015	...	605,303	...	289,320	...	297,881
Velvets, Velveteens, etc. ...	...	29,791	...	22,809	...	16,746	...	12,486
Woollens ...	...	39,662	...	5,830	...	9,642	...	2,609
Other ...	...	92,312	...	102,552	...	35,266	...	45,011
Rubber Manufactures ...	...	97,068	...	70,233	...	41,672	...	28,329
Sewing and other Cottons, Threads, etc.	...	105,723	...	96,189	...	36,587	...	43,755
Silver—Bar, Ingot, Sheet, Matte oz.	4,450	290	827	60	3,170	196	...	...
Specie—								
Gold ...	...	...	...	244	...	...	...	244
Silver ...	...	6,842	...	7,695	...	4,020	...	3,587
Spirits (Beverages)—								
Brandy ... gal.	2,943	5,781	229	422	142	416	176	278
Gin ...	7,990	3,362	16,697	8,719	7,663	3,270	13,732	6,756
Rum ...	1,448	705	1,225	588	1,283	623	664	276
Whisky ...	142,364	156,046	30,484	30,823	109,833	120,709	23,807	23,478
Other ...	4,676	3,572	1,561	719	2,046	1,224	991	514
Stationery ...	...	88,566	...	37,151	...	38,283	...	23,099
Talking Machines, etc. ...	...	36,631	...	15,923	...	12,522	...	8,728
Tea ... 1,000 lb.	12,726	740,890	12,677	463,640	5,599	301,359	6,870	272,931
Timber—Dressed, n.e.i. 1,000 sup. ft.	27	723	8	201	26	659	...	...
Logs, not sawn, and Spars "	2,406,181	12,370	1,700,246	7,583	1,849,484	9,027	1,004,258	3,008
Undressed, n.e.i. 1,000 "	15,440	133,969	10,942	87,096	5,424	46,267	5,422	46,731
Tobacco—Manufactured lb.	223,579	28,127	24,405	5,139	105,169	12,115	12,271	2,849
Unmanufactured 1,000 "	8,742	632,746	7,725	251,617	7,852	556,534	3,172	111,099
Cigars ...	9,663	14,850	709	1,013	4,211	6,124	231	185
Cigarettes ...	73,939	33,667	11,748	4,626	33,473	14,254	6,519	2,987
Tools of Trade ...	...	95,507	...	52,061	...	41,529	...	28,085
Trimmings and Ornaments ...	...	87,909	...	53,703	...	29,565	...	27,304
Vehicles—Bicycles, etc., and parts ...	...	48,199	...	17,318	...	23,037	...	9,609
Motor Bodies ...	No. 44	4,686	20	1,986	30	3,560	10	911
Motor Chassis ...	1,754	148,054	186	20,510	695	65,127	99	12,314
Other Vehicles and parts ...	...	115,911	...	26,444	...	53,144	...	11,441
Wines—Sparkling ... gal.	1,208	3,120	118	209	474	1,248	37	91
Still ...	5,657	2,951	1,896	954	2,567	1,417	1,081	450
Yarns ...	...	202,367	...	214,400	...	89,888	...	111,057
All other Articles	3,940,934	...	2,276,651	...	1,836,761	...	1,161,941
Total ... £	...	16,276,104	...	8,975,328	...	7,438,985	...	4,519,152

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No. 10.—Principal Items Exported Oversea Direct from New South Wales.

Article Exported.	Six months ended 31st December.				Quarter ended 31st December.			
	1930.		1931.		1930.		1931.	
	Quantity.	Value.	Quantity.	Value.	Quantity.	Value.	Quantity.	Value.
		£		£		£		£
Apparel and Attire ... ..	...	33,268	...	23,588	...	21,107	...	13,372
Biscuits lb.	928,639	33,607	732,956	26,908	450,857	17,906	405,029	18,221
Books (Printed), etc. ... ..	...	30,710	...	20,981	...	16,880	...	10,652
Boots and Shoes ... ..	...	7,625	...	9,788	...	3,418	...	4,730
Butter 1,000 lb.	11,340	562,709	17,370	918,836	10,005	474,167	12,712	669,564
Cheese lb	60,073	2,982	58,994	2,756	24,326	1,115	31,328	1,430
Coal ton	166,760	190,684	186,966	185,360	64,215	70,576	106,065	103,804
Coke "	452	1,304	301	940	155	281	84	247
Concentrates—								
Silver and Silver-Lead cwt.	207	70	...	...	207	70	...	...
Other "	...	1,654	...	4,498	...	651	...	4,173
Confectionery lb.	229,351	22,896	237,542	21,763	124,770	11,631	120,128	11,875
Copper cwt.	73,119	192,146	117,435	238,067	30,050	77,077	51,310	114,256
Eggs doz.	2,345,489	138,595	3,608,691	189,592	1,104,057	64,891	1,920,285	97,250
Fruits, Dried—								
Currants lb.	65,207	1,220	41,939	936	12,364	262	6,000	133
Raisins "	338,161	7,842	154,800	3,726	119,013	2,458	31,993	1,012
Fruits, Fresh—								
Apples cntl.	4,373	7,334	3,119	4,429	339	557	425	661
Citrus (Lemons and Oranges) "	66,375	62,225	100,385	90,438	35,519	32,900	46,875	43,503
Fruits and Vegetables (Preserved) ... ..	...	44,787	...	58,601	...	13,486	...	25,581
Glue Pieces and Sinews ... cwt.	2,476	2,348	173	839	1,960	1,494	102	491
Gold—Bar, Dust, Ingot, Sheet and Matte ... oz.	7,590	32,048	66,507	400,509	6,298	26,614	47,787	297,847
Grain and Pulse—								
Wheat centals	4,318,147	1,110,697	6,311,010	1,378,849	3,214,718	761,034	3,118,836	822,686
Bran, Pollard, and Sharps "	81,239	31,123	389,951	78,669	35,848	13,466	169,483	39,915
Flour (Wheaten)	1,681,522	681,205	2,133,570	615,597	833,088	308,623	1,264,949	372,249
Hair lb.	40,935	2,480	30,243	2,113	28,475	1,666	20,037	1,433
Hats, Caps, and Bonnets ...	...	12,538	...	5,758	...	5,931	...	3,201
Hay and Chaff cwt.	959	462	1,608	566	390	170	1,002	350
Iron and Steel "	36,751	16,223	119,661	52,859	16,801	8,391	71,162	30,490
Jams and Jellies lb.	127,652	4,012	122,323	3,237	73,643	2,252	56,517	1,524
Jewellery ... ..	...	3,564	...	4,596	...	1,637	...	1,607
Precious Stones, Pearls, etc....	...	5,455	...	9,653	...	1,750	...	4,701
Lard lb.	86,607	3,091	138,197	3,261	42,411	1,454	92,304	1,853
Lead—								
Contained in Matte ... cwt.	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Pig "	509,100	443,567	508,788	445,697	188,596	152,888	272,700	250,164
Sheet and Piping	3,262	4,564	934	1,149	1,737	2,419	464	625
Leather	136,824	...	132,043	...	68,819	...	77,599
Leather Manufactures, n.e.i.	3,589	...	2,254	...	1,189	...	981

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No. 10.—Principal Items Exported Oversea Direct from New South Wales—continued.

Article Exported.	Six months ended 31st December.				Quarter ended 31st December.			
	1930.		1931.		1930.		1931.	
	Quantity.	Value.	Quantity.	Value.	Quantity.	Value.	Quantity.	Value.
Meats—Bacon and Hams lb.	232,224	£ 13,712	219,500	£ 13,355	193,541	£ 11,088	174,508	£ 10,795
Preserved by cold process—								
Beef 1,000 „	542	11,118	8,200	137,535	395	7,479	5,965	98,989
Mutton ... { carcasses	130,700	89,107	413,931	278,618	107,908	72,612	151,965	96,583
... { 1,000 lb.	6,228		22,566		5,042		8,272	
Lamb ... { carcasses	370,236	252,096	1,058,627	680,678	309,001	203,414	567,509	341,809
... { 1,000 lb.	11,946		35,236		9,968		18,506	
Rabbits and Hares ... pr.	1,858,472	152,124	3,132,923	204,660	379,717	29,892	1,443,222	90,788
Potted or Concentrated ...	...	8,502	...	13,802	...	3,714	...	7,420
Preserved in tins, etc. ... lb.	1,201,963	34,271	2,065,893	53,484	643,300	13,704	1,171,360	28,513
Medicines ... ..	...	47,095	...	42,357	...	22,080	...	22,906
Metal Manufactures other than								
Machinery ... ..	...	156,065	...	129,416	...	66,608	...	76,190
Oils—Cocoanut ... gal.	18,138	2,535	44,210	4,769	7,031	907	19,976	2,083
Eucalyptus	8,538	4,019	12,430	4,044	6,047	2,896	11,307	3,468
Ores—								
Gold (quartz & concentrates) ewt.	...	...	20	4	...	...	20	4
Silver and Silver-Lead ...	1,611	715	...	...	686	230	...	...
Other ... ..	...	4,040	...	615	...	3,125	...	430
Paints and Colours ... ..	...	22,089	...	21,776	...	10,145	...	11,853
Potatoes cwt.	10,071	4,713	11,026	4,512	4,454	2,034	3,741	1,992
Rubber Manufactures ... ..	...	30,242	...	18,209	...	17,340	...	11,433
Sausage Casings ... ..	...	71,916	...	42,206	...	37,350	...	23,086
Seeds ... ..	...	20,087	...	8,135	...	4,875	...	4,639
Silver—Bar, ingot, sheet and								
Matte. oz.	62,605	4,415	82,832	6,463	61,254	4,284	7,329	743
Skins and Hides—Cattle No.	327,072	193,928	98,767	69,928	173,733	88,692	64,716	44,613
Kangaroo lb.	714,630	84,006	620,192	76,470	425,296	49,480	408,826	51,206
Opossum No.	167,558	26,793	1,113,019	168,902	30,123	4,698	177,695	19,429
Rabbit and Hare ... lb.	2,874,270	283,434	3,674,118	294,076	840,408	62,863	1,002,329	59,983
Sheep, with Wool { No.	1,965,868	1,533,324	218,713	909,039	6,958	158,986	8,135	146,988
... { 1,000 lb.	15,792	12,460	302	10,590	...	...	16,725	...
Sheep, without Wool { No.	53,514	17,124	...	...	...	...	...	...
... { lb.	95,209	68,250	...	...	...	...	...	...
Other ... ..	...	39,973	...	39,883	...	9,920	...	4,154
Soap—Toilet (Medicated), etc. lb.	37,722	3,051	203,668	7,713	17,069	1,589	127,497	4,982
Other	1,524,718	20,486	920,722	11,713	766,689	10,092	535,491	7,036
Specie—Gold ... ..	...	28,092	...	728,476	...	3,000	...	725,213
Silver ... ..	...	57,445	...	55,448	...	31,296	...	20,290
Stationery and Paper ... ..	...	43,882	...	34,308	...	27,221	...	17,857
Sugar (the produce of Cane) cwt.	7,199	8,419	6,768	7,623	3,828	4,396	3,498	3,881
Tallow, unrefined	182,561	248,492	201,737	202,220	133,688	177,866	128,827	129,751
Timber—								
Dressed—Other super. ft.	745,805	13,133	58,378	1,314	288,530	4,826	27,981	802
Logs, not sawn and spars „	3,832,529	54,762	3,020,175	36,542	1,702,403	25,386	2,003,368	22,368
Undressed—Other 1,000 „	5,704	85,764	5,130	53,490	1,997	32,907	4,078	37,097
Tin Ingots cwt.	5,851	39,234	11,657	92,431	3,913	25,203	8,191	67,243
Tobacco—Manufactured lb.	502,610	94,282	389,630	71,559	250,643	47,671	188,618	33,137
Cigarettes	11,692	6,030	13,983	6,943	5,488	2,777	6,793	3,341
Wines—Sparkling ... gal.	1,238	1,860	849	1,199	620	1,055	681	901
Still (bottled)	18,221	11,705	16,548	9,073	12,080	7,559	9,380	5,051
„ (bulk)	15,654	3,628	37,920	9,508	7,809	1,822	28,890	6,766
Wool—Greasy { ... bale	577,009	6,682,166	565,270	6,436,072	420,414	4,753,344	445,431	5,219,011
Scoured and { 1,000 lb.(net)	181,296		176,622		132,048		139,163	
Washed { ... bale	37,795	563,410	57,207	712,786	17,486	242,517	41,564	516,931
Wool Tops ... { 1,000 lb.	8,917		13,805		4,096		10,156	
Wool Tops ... { bale	1,425	52,282	2,103	133,859	1,014	41,525	1,643	106,131
All other Articles	510,897	1,182,305	1,048,406	1,066,815	379,709	618,182	818,264	603,681
Total	£ ...	15,001,162	...	17,152,866	...	9,123,173	...	11,720,118

NOTE.—The foregoing table is a preliminary summary of principal items only. Detailed records are published annually in the "Statistical Register of New South Wales." Value represents the value in principal markets of New South Wales and is in Australian currency; bonus payments have been deducted from the value of butter.

No. 11.—Principal Articles Shipped at Sydney to and from Australian Ports.

(Compiled from Returns supplied by Sydney Harbour Trust.)

(excluding Transhipments.)

Article Imported.	Unit.	Year ended 30th June, 1931.		Quarter ended 30th June, 1931.		Quarter ended 30th September, 1931.	
		Interstate.	State.	Interstate.	State.	Interstate.	State.
Ale, Beer, and Stout ...	40 cub. ft.	4,628	45	1,261	13	1,056	2
Bacon and Ham ...	tons	3,820	5,019	993	1,535	641	892
Boots, Shoes, &c. ...	40 cub. ft.	2,748	70	607	3	1,238	1
Butter ...	tons	123	23,422	9	5,969	...	4,147
Cement ...	tons	7,687	949	3,428	247	1,703	159
Chaff ...	tons	2,324	3	2	...	9	...
Cheese ...	tons	995	1,597	225	289	265	230
Coal (Cargo) ...	tons	12	719,828	6	191,953	71	214,676
„ (Bunker) ...	tons	...	197,651	...	47,435	...	43,731
Confectionery ...	40 cub. ft.	5,855	57	1,623	15	1,278	14
Drapery ...	40 cub. ft.	11,392	549	3,433	131	3,005	115
Eggs (in shell) ...	doz.	1,351,640	632,016	474,091	46,224	285,834	225,072
Egg Pulp ...	40 cub. ft.	666	...	93	...	117	...
Fish, Fresh and Frozen	tons	363	5,965	7	1,484	5	1,521
Oysters ...	bags	...	8,328	...	1,380	...	1,776
Flour ...	tons (2,240 lb.)	2,204	80	536	17	625	15
Grain—Maize ...	tons	2,157	4,062	862	1,610	1,141	365
„ Oats ...	tons	4,667	1	904	1	486	...
„ Wheat ...	tons	151	...	37	...	33	1
Hay ...	tons	563	761	164	137	105	35
Hides and Skins ...	40 cub. ft.	3,907	3,143	1,320	665	1,173	789
Iron—Galvanized ...	tons	19	6	3	...	10	...
„ Pig ...	tons	5	158	2	53	...	32
Jams and Jellies ...	tons	3,919	11	972	3	812	1
Matches (incl. Materials)	40 cub. ft.	1,970	5	702	1	642	...
Milk and Cream pre- served.	40 cub. ft.	7,834	1,444	1,821	530	1,290	408
Molasses and Syrup ...	tons	9,618	4,570	200	2,206	5,954	458
Onions ...	tons	10,763	...	3,101	...	2,525	...
Potatoes ...	tons	70,467	786	20,381	9	19,333	6
Soap ...	tons	1,514	12	355	2	354	...
Spirits—Brandy ...	40 cub. ft.	435	2	113	1	107	...
„ Gin ...	40 cub. ft.	806	...	250	...	175	...
„ Rum ...	40 cub. ft.	448	3	55	1	53	...
„ Whisky ...	40 cub. ft.	852	16	198	1	228	...
Sugar ...	tons	107,899	18,628	6	2	48,887	8,541
Tea ...	40 cub. ft.	1,951	13	143	3	194	6
Tobacco, Cigars, &c. ...	40 cub. ft.	1,782	5	604	1	644	1
Wines ...	40 cub. ft.	5,095	18	1,126	4	1,052	3
Animals—Horses ...	No.	200	144	70	35	24	11
„ Horned cattle ...	No.	3	3,058	...	1,153	...	494
„ Calves ...	No.	4	970	2	471	...	230
„ Sheep ...	No.	1,204	...	850	...	349	...
„ Pigs ...	No.	...	29,404	...	6,516	...	6,488
Bananas ...	Cases = 1½ bus. or 84 lb.	49,859	48,321	10,021	16,678	5,618	21,090
Fruit, Fresh ...	cases	1,045,864	83,016	454,879	18,659	319,843	18,970
Timber, Rough & Sawn	super feet	3,245,050	14,422,792	678,529	3,394,330	545,769	3,235,962
Wool ...	bales	30,609	17,089	9,798	614	9,453	10,295
ARTICLE EXPORTED.							
Bran, Pollard & Sharps	tons	3,084	512	480	216	301	536
Butter ...	tons	873	20	377	6	130	...
Cement ...	tons	8,236	3,885	1,255	173	1,066	174
Coal (Cargo) ...	tons	116	1,729	1	51	1	157
„ (Bunker) ...	tons	88,874	141,971	17,846	26,338	21,162	31,364
Coke ...	tons	6,055	748	1,345	302	3,179	172
Eggs (in shell) ...	doz.	15,984	...	...	...	...	...
Fertiliser ...	tons	505	151	124	27	208	89
Flour ...	tons (2,240 lb.)	9,084	2,451	605	596	290	782
Grain—Wheat ...	tons	1,911	126	126	49	108	68
Hides ...	40 cub. ft.	1,255	9	440	...	468	...
Margarine ...	40 cub. ft.	2,261	126	569	37	444	43
Meat—Frozen ...	tons	131	...	35	...	52	3
„ Preserved ...	40 cub. ft.	582	20	88	13	80	28
Oil Cake ...	40 cub. ft.	1,611	52	262	12	209	14
Skins—Furred ...	40 cub. ft.	37	...	21	...	64	...
„ Sheep ...	40 cub. ft.	161	...	1	...	126	...
Tallow ...	40 cub. ft.	121	23	97	...	104	...
Tin ...	tons	278	4	81	4	96	6
Wool ...	bales	10,433	...	5,970	...	4,016	2

(Tons in all instances = 2,240 lb. Forty cubic feet = 1 measurement ton.)

No. 12.—Shipping Entered—Port of Sydney.
(Compiled from Returns supplied by Sydney Harbour Trust.)

Year ended 30th June.		Number of Vessels.				Net Tonnage.			
		Steam Coal Burners.	Steam Oil Burners.	Motor.	Sailing.	Steam Coal Burners.	Steam Oil Burners.	Motors.	Sailing.
1930 ...	Oversea ...	8:3	347	224	2	3,001,344	2,038,372	880,407	4,093
	Interstate ...	951	48	64	...	1,498,707	163,286	170,889	...
	State ...	3,661	...	82	...	1,149,447	...	33,990	...
	Total ...	5,425	395	370	2	5,649,498	2,201,658	1,085,286	4,093
1931 ...	Oversea ...	647	333	230	3	2,443,768	2,096,416	901,614	22
	Interstate ...	792	108	71	...	1,252,962	278,857	234,299	...
	State ...	3,708	...	90	...	1,224,610	...	35,734	...
	Total ...	5,147	441	391	3	4,921,340	2,375,273	1,171,647	22
July-Dec. 1931 ..	Oversea ...	275	178	124	1	1,019,817	1,147,915	490,548	1,208
	Interstate ...	387	56	47	...	561,157	141,128	139,329	...
	State ...	1,807	...	58	...	588,047	...	18,986	...
	Total	2,469	234	229	1	2,169,021	1,289,043	648,863	1,208

NOTE.—The figures for the arrivals of Oversea and Interstate vessels include those for vessels which returned to Sydney from Newcastle after proceeding there for bunker coal.

No. 13.—Shipping—Oversea and Interstate.—Tonnage of Cargo Discharged and Shipped at all Ports of New South Wales.

Period.	Tonnage of Cargo discharged.				Tonnage of Cargo shipped.			
	Sydney.	Newcastle.	Other Ports.	Total.	Sydney.	Newcastle.	Other Ports.	Total.
1930—Oct.-Dec.—	tons.	tons.	tons.	tons.	tons.	tons.	tons.	tons.
Oversea ...	307,890	18,561	5,090	331,541	349,304	65,739	5,305	420,348
Interstate ...	179,857	158,335	14,444	352,636	118,369	335,098	29,051	482,518
Total ...	487,747	176,896	19,534	684,177	467,673	400,837	34,356	902,866
1931—Jan.-Mar.—								
Oversea ...	248,446	16,670	7,142	272,258	548,148	64,148	5,924	618,220
Interstate ...	138,826	66,311	25,381	230,518	113,737	319,276	40,741	473,754
Total ...	387,272	82,981	32,523	502,776	661,885	383,424	46,665	1,091,974
1931—April-June—								
Oversea ...	206,219	14,076	...	220,295	443,940	110,460	4,158	558,558
Interstate ...	153,506	52,735	21,887	228,128	113,334	339,285	24,681	477,300
Total ...	359,725	66,811	21,887	448,423	557,274	449,745	28,839	1,035,858
1931—July-Sept.—								
Oversea ...	236,603	8,947	3,506	249,056	307,754	76,691	10,824	395,269
Interstate ...	200,075	70,701	3,973	274,749	118,139	347,327	34,844	500,310
Total ...	436,678	79,648	7,479	523,805	425,893	424,018	45,668	895,579
1931—Oct.-Dec.—								
Oversea ...	239,136	10,187	4,591	253,914	390,451	81,787	14,042	486,280
Interstate ...	183,255	53,647	15,615	252,517	125,838	326,771	24,824	477,433
Total ...	422,391	63,834	20,206	506,431	516,289	408,558	38,866	963,713

NOTE.—Cargo recorded by measurement has been converted to tons—40 cubic feet=1 ton.

No. 14.—State Railways of New South Wales.

Year ended 30th June.	Miles open for traffic at end of period.	Capital Cost as at end of period.	Total Earnings.	Excess of Earnings over Working Expenses.*	Train Miles.	Excess of Earnings per train mile.	Passengers.
	No.	£	£	£	No.	s. d.	No.
1921	5,043	82,304,194	14,267,205	3,234,528	22,792,053	2 10	120,735,140
1922	5,116	85,552,871	15,213,019	4,096,717	21,887,065	3 9	121,298,861
1923	5,318	89,276,871	15,221,333	4,571,359	21,693,861	4 2½	123,714,639
1924	5,523	93,355,167	15,616,577	4,699,086	21,582,779	4 4½	128,101,184
1925	5,656	99,623,210	16,769,452	4,829,766	23,304,916	4 1½	128,532,038
1926	5,742	105,237,668	16,939,032	4,419,039	24,624,995	3 7	130,725,581
1927	5,750	112,789,149	18,906,543	5,110,690	26,325,847	3 10½	141,615,806
1928	5,867	117,984,374	19,029,512	4,273,185	26,896,580	3 2	148,046,881
1929	5,940	124,329,422	19,615,616	4,637,566	27,382,124	3 4½	151,116,086
1930	5,974	126,318,236	17,826,692	2,864,269	26,713,951	2 1½	147,892,548
1931	6,044	132,565,362	15,205,741	2,306,095	25,493,640	1 9½	126,811,993
Half-year ended 31st Dec., 1931	6,054	.....	7,679,536	1,522,763	13,098,428	2 4	61,657,273
Do 1930	6,014	.....	8,035,274	1,591,620	12,900,340	2 5½	65,354,231
Quarter ended 31st Dec., 1931	6,054	.....	3,962,678	864,233	6,640,336	2 7½	31,831,039

* Sinking Fund and Interest on loan capital are not included as working expenses.

No. 15.—State Tramways of New South Wales.

Year ended 30th June.	Miles open for traffic at end of period.	Capital Cost as at end of period.	Total Earnings.	Excess of Earnings over Working Expenses.*	Tram Mileage.	Excess of earnings per tram mile.	Passengers.
	No.	£	£	£	No.	s. d.	No.
1921	227	9,060,757	3,471,738	528,486	28,654,172	0 4½	337,689,873
1922	229	9,505,732	3,610,135	594,519	29,318,532	0 4½	330,938,567
1923	225	9,975,031	3,598,114	505,808	30,071,022	0 4	331,001,822
1924	228	10,758,958	3,633,916	542,385	32,110,054	0 4	340,957,725
1925	229	11,131,454	3,619,272	444,410	33,761,796	0 3½	339,576,776
1926	229	11,434,523	3,619,496	299,500	34,214,733	0 2½	339,411,765
1927	210	11,586,050	3,806,098	318,264	34,188,015	0 2½	347,231,141
1928	210	11,609,078	4,556,561	619,205	34,471,601	0 4½	346,013,775
1929	211	11,743,189	4,457,890	622,246	34,081,498	0 4½	333,476,049
1930	211	11,764,978	3,903,470	277,906	32,862,832	0 2	307,789,621
1931	200	†8,435,810	3,058,471	(-)62,924	32,193,040	(-) 0 ½	266,346,801
Half-year ended 31st Dec., 1931	200	.....	1,516,599	74,955	17,220,050	0 1	133,867,574
Quarter ended 31st Dec., 1931	200	.....	1,566,161	(-)18,085	15,921,147	(-) 0 ¼	135,503,235
Quarter ended 31st Dec., 1931	200	.....	839,104	78,879	9,064,224	0 2	73,686,228

* Sinking Fund and Interest on loan capital are not included as working expenses. † Fixed in accordance with the Transport Act; subject to review. Certain power-houses and other works were transferred to the railways.
(-) Denotes excess of working expenses over earnings.

No. 16.—Motor Omnibus Services (Metropolitan Traffic Area).

Year ended 30th June.	Value of Omnibuses, Plant and Equipment.	Total Revenue.	Total Expenditure (including Depreciation).	Omnibus Mileage.	Passengers Carried.
	£	£	£		
1929	568,727	1,446,876	1,293,437	16,911,793	89,845,001
1930	618,035	1,540,455	1,398,120	19,927,383	94,481,982
1931	486,797	1,357,505	1,352,649	19,548,162	92,125,207
Three months ended 30th June, 1931	486,797	317,449	335,844	4,888,550	21,702,143

Passengers carried in Omnibuses (Metropolis).

Quarter ended—	March.	June.	September.	December.
1929	23,091,652	22,948,953	22,998,065	24,362,774
1930	24,199,797	22,921,346	47,697,272	
1931	22,577,832	21,702,143	.....

No. 17.—Motor Vehicles on Register in New South Wales.

Date.	Cars.	Lorries.	Cycles	Metropolitan Traffic.			Total on Register.	Increase during Quarter.	
				Cabs.	Vans.	Omnibuses.		Cars.	Lorries.
1929.									
30 Sept	166,715	41,339	30,858	1,278	2,263	600	243,053	4,417	1,836
31 Dec	170,039	42,594	30,655	1,364	2,274	612	247,538	3,324	1,255
1930									
31 Mar	171,492	43,371	30,198	1,351	2,272	628	249,312	1,453	777
30 Jun	169,495	43,074	29,410	1,340	2,235	640	246,194	(-) 1,997	(-) 297
30 Sept	167,812	42,821	28,514	1,233	2,194	643	243,217	(-) 1,683	(-) 253
31 Dec	164,169	42,278	27,258	1,221	2,186	*435	237,547	(-) 3,643	(-) 543
1931									
31 Mar	158,833	41,088	26,345	1,159	2,152	552	230,129	(-) 5,336	(-) 1,190
30 June	154,096	39,696	25,453	1,078	2,092	588	223,003	(-) 4,737	(-) 1,392
31 July	151,760	39,055	24,955	1,077	2,061	627	219,535	{ (-) 5,222 (-) 1,573	
31 Aug	151,117	38,710	24,770	1,071	2,039	637	218,344		
30 Sept	148,874	38,123	24,330	1,052	2,011	649	215,039	{ (-) 2,181 (-) 129	
31 Oct	147,331	37,831	24,047	1,058	2,003	701	212,971		
30 Nov	147,074	37,894	23,929	1,076	1,995	733	212,701		
31 Dec	146,693	37,994	23,859	1,091	1,967	776	212,380		

* Exclusive of buses operating pending consideration of registration.

(-) Denotes decrease.

No. 18.—New South Wales—Average Rainfall in Districts.—Principal Sheep Districts (Principal Wheat Divisions are marked "A.")

Division of Hinterland.		Actual Rainfall during Month.						Ratio per cent. of Actual to Normal Rainfall. (Normal=100).					
		1931.						1931.					
		July.	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	July.	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.
Tablelands—		ins.	ins.	ins.	ins.	ins.	ins.						
North ...	W ...	2.53	0.95	2.47	1.65	3.31	6.56	117	48	120	61	107	180
	E ...	1.52	0.54	0.89	1.92	4.57	8.20	79	41	51	75	140	201
Central ...	N A	1.75	0.85	1.21	1.04	1.96	2.83	89	44	61	50	87	104
	S A	3.13	1.12	2.50	1.33	2.91	5.04	106	46	105	51	112	162
Southern ...	...	1.54	1.13	2.12	1.86	2.02	1.49	75	62	108	88	105	63
Western Slopes—													
North ...	N A	1.90	0.86	1.58	1.34	2.93	6.38	103	52	102	61	121	220
	S A	1.79	1.12	0.99	0.71	2.67	4.86	97	61	56	30	108	163
Central ...	N A	1.43	0.69	0.69	0.36	2.75	2.83	67	39	40	21	135	105
	S A	1.78	0.80	1.61	0.86	1.83	3.54	94	41	90	47	105	160
South ...	N A	1.88	1.43	1.83	0.79	1.71	2.19	89	69	96	40	106	113
	S ...	2.57	3.05	1.82	1.26	2.92	0.61	83	98	68	45	147	28
Plains—													
North ...	W ...	1.30	0.30	0.62	0.32	2.39	4.74	95	27	61	24	141	206
	E A	1.06	0.60	0.91	0.50	2.54	5.36	62	44	66	31	122	203
	S A	1.55	0.43	1.22	0.47	1.17	2.93	108	30	95	35	85	161
Central ...	N ...	1.72	0.16	0.35	0.21	1.68	4.16	123	12	31	18	111	220
	E A	1.26	0.95	1.42	1.03	2.00	0.21	78	54	90	61	162	15
Riverina ...	W A	1.21	0.29	1.44	0.69	1.39	0.42	106	23	126	57	138	37
Western Division—													
Eastern ...	N ...	0.63	0.07	0.32	0.11	1.63	3.48	70	9	40	11	138	229
	S ...	0.86	0.21	1.29	0.51	1.66	0.80	81	18	118	46	171	65
Western ...	N ...	1.26	0.03	0.88	0.49	0.75	0.90	233	6	169	69	110	94
	S ...	0.97	0.30	0.78	0.75	0.31	0.05	131	32	91	85	40	6

Principal Dairying Districts.

Division of Coast.		Actual Rainfall during Month.						Ratio per cent. of Actual to Normal Rainfall. (Normal=100).					
		1931.						1931.					
		July.	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	July.	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.
		ins.	ins.	ins.	ins.	ins.	ins.						
North ...	N	1.86	2.46	0.85	1.74	5.51	10.09	49	90	33	61	148	215
	S	2.18	0.53	0.48	0.82	4.84	11.22	61	21	18	23	126	240
Hunter and Manning ...	N	2.91	0.80	1.55	0.89	4.20	6.21	69	26	50	29	128	137
	S	4.77	0.76	1.39	1.15	2.40	4.34	152	35	58	50	96	124
South ...	N	8.56	0.27	5.58	1.61	3.36	4.86	201	11	227	60	132	135
	S	2.61	0.27	2.23	2.08	2.22	1.48	95	14	90	82	95	49

NOTE.—The above tables are based upon the records of the Commonwealth Meteorologist. The divisions correspond approximately with the statistical divisions shown on the map in the frontispiece of the Official Year Book of New South Wales, each division being subdivided into two sectors indicated by the letters N, S, E, or W according as they constitute the northern, southern, eastern or western portion of the division concerned.

No. 19.—Rainfall Index—Weighted Average Ratio of Actual to Normal Rainfall (New South Wales).

Normal Rainfall each month=100.

Month of 1931.	Sheep Districts.					Wheat Districts.				Dairying Districts.			
	N	C	S	W	T	N	C	S	T	N	C	S	T
January ...	43	64	68	20	55	52	67	73	69	44	60	44	48
February ...	50	36	36	11	37	33	41	36	37	255	63	59	181
March ...	278	251	260	187	255	250	241	286	270	124	131	104	123
April ...	158	222	198	346	210	171	213	207	204	164	347	201	215
May ...	230	289	312	290	280	247	305	329	312	59	93	107	74
June ...	164	169	241	188	193	193	174	256	227	42	59	50	47
July ...	93	103	86	101	94	89	94	88	90	52	102	137	76
August ...	47	33	58	15	43	56	38	54	50	73	30	13	54
September ...	77	69	100	79	82	65	81	100	91	29	53	145	50
October ...	43	37	60	38	46	35	39	51	46	51	37	73	51
November ...	121	104	129	122	119	113	104	134	123	142	115	110	131
December ...	194	164	58	138	135	181	144	60	97	221	132	84	181

N—Northern.

S—Southern.

C—Central.

W—Western.

T—Total, New South Wales.

No. 20.—Area under Crop.

Season ended June.	Wheat. (grain only).	Maize. (grain only).	Oats. (grain only).	Sugar-cane Cut for Crushing.	Hay.	Vines. Wine-making.	Potatoes.	Total Area under Crop.*
	acres.	acres.	acres.	acres.	acres.	acres.	acres.	acres.
1921	3,127,377	144,105	77,709	5,519	854,263	4,589	27,673	4,464,342
1922	3,194,949	146,687	69,795	5,400	750,928	4,818	29,494	4,445,848
1923	2,942,857	138,169	74,006	5,879	889,457	5,396	22,568	4,694,088
1924	2,945,335	166,974	86,693	6,733	1,023,717	6,548	21,879	4,808,046
1925	3,550,078	146,564	123,517	7,761	763,287	6,958	23,403	4,911,148
1926	2,925,012	120,955	101,097	8,688	750,605	6,977	22,731	4,541,423
1927	3,352,736	128,516	105,115	10,128	625,616	7,051	21,941	4,595,711
1928	3,029,950	148,801	114,988	8,556	680,919	7,456	21,578	4,994,515
1929	4,090,083	106,835	126,743	6,783	684,730	7,077	14,830	5,440,762
1930	3,974,064	108,219	181,354	7,967	698,395	7,019	12,785	5,499,408
1931†	5,134,960	105,024	176,659	7,617	896,770	6,771	15,304	6,809,510

Production of Crops.

(In thousands, 000 omitted).

Season ended June.	Wheat.	Maize.	Oats.	Sugar-cane.	Hay.	Wine.	Potatoes.	Total value of Crops (to Producers)
	bushels.	bushels.	bushels.	tons.	tons.	gallons.	tons.	£
1921	55,625	4,176	1,643	131	1,375	674	63	32,373
1922	42,767	3,976	1,170	149	1,029	627	58	20,261
1923	28,668	3,287	1,251	148	1,061	771	36	21,301
1924	33,176	4,623	1,570	132	1,173	1,460	61	20,556
1925	59,767	4,208	2,511	229	1,153	1,171	57	28,785
1926	33,806	3,278	1,616	297	866	1,241	43	20,741
1927	47,541	3,599	1,899	230	878	1,626	53	22,098
1928	27,042	3,931	1,655	209	754	2,295	47	17,018
1929	49,257	2,506	2,184	147	793	1,482	26	19,923
1930	34,407	3,036	2,529	174	687	1,934	24	15,438
1931†	65,876	2,767	3,242	149	1,191	1,336	32	†

Average Yield per acre of Crops.

Season ended June.	Wheat.	Maize.	Oats.	Sugar-cane.	Hay.	Wine.	Potatoes.	Value per acre of all Crops.
	bushels.	bushels.	bushels.	tons.	tons.	gallons.	tons.	£ s. d.
1921	17'8	29'0	21'1	23'79	1'61	147	2'29	7 5 0
1922	13'4	27'1	16'8	27'68	1'37	145	1'96	4 11 2
1923	9'7	23'8	16'9	25'17	1'19	168	1'58	4 10 9
1924	11'3	27'7	18'1	19'62	1'15	223	2'79	4 5 6
1925	16'8	28'7	20'3	29'50	1'51	168	2'45	5 17 3
1926	11'6	27'1	16'0	34'20	1'15	178	1'90	4 11 4
1927	14'2	28'0	18'1	22'73	1'40	230	2'43	4 16 2
1928	8'9	26'4	14'4	24'40	1'11	†	2'20	3 8 2
1929	12'0	23'5	17'2	21'70	1'16	†	1'78	3 13 3
1930	8'7	26'9	13'9	21'00	0'99	†	1'87	2 16 2
1931†	12'8	26'3	18'3	19'56	1'32	†	2'09	†
Av'ge for 10 years (1922-1931)	12'0	26'7	16'9	24'68	1'23	†	2'12	†

NOTE.—The figures above exclude Federal Territory since 1st July, 1927.

* Exclusive of area double cropped.

† Not available. Wine produced was not wholly from area shown. † Subject to revision.

Rice, 1929-30: Area 19,780 acres, yield 1,829,173 bushels paddy rice.

No. 21.—Wheat Production, 1930-31 and 1931-32.

The final estimate of the wheat crop of 1930-31 was:—

	Area sown with Wheat.	Yield of Wheat and Hay.	Average yield per acre.
	Acres.		
For grain	5,134,960	65,875,878 bus.	12'8 bus (wheat).
For hay	520,993	677,657 tons	1'29 tons (hay).
Fed off	17,992		
Total	5,673,945		

The preliminary return of the area sown with wheat in 1931-32 was 3,923,100 acres, of which 3,624,900 acres were cropped for grain. The preliminary return of the yield was 54,140,000 bushels, or 14'9 bushels per acre.

No. 22.—Live Stock.

At 30th June.	Horses.	Cattle.			Sheep.	Pigs.
		Dairy Cows.	All other.	Total.		
1921	663,178	941,742	2,433,525	3,375,267	37,750,000	306,253
1922	669,800	974,087	2,572,443	3,546,530	41,070,000	383,669
1923	660,031	958,287	2,292,893	3,251,180	38,760,000	340,853
1924	658,372	949,135	1,989,387	2,938,522	41,440,000	323,196
1925	647,503	982,850	1,893,404	2,876,254	47,100,000	339,669
1926	651,035	984,501	1,952,629	2,937,130	53,860,000	382,674
1927	623,392	992,419	1,826,234	2,818,653	55,930,000	332,921
1928	598,377	1,002,837	1,845,817	2,848,654	50,510,000	301,819
1929	567,371	1,023,187	1,761,428	2,784,615	50,184,950	311,605
1930	534,945	1,039,949	1,646,183	2,686,132	48,720,000	323,499
1931	524,512	1,094,186	1,746,287	2,840,473	*	334,331

The number of sheep in the State at 31st December, 1930, was 49,870,000.

* Not available.

No. 23.—Production—Pastoral and Dairying—Principal Items.

Year ended 30th June.	Wool. (as in the grease).	Butter.	Cheese.	Bacon and Ham.
	lb.	lb.	lb.	lb.
1921	275,269,000	84,268,041	6,407,209	16,257,242
1922	333,856,000	100,672,581	7,367,057	20,422,870
1923	336,899,000	73,723,597	5,198,905	19,245,866
1924	303,032,000	72,684,093	5,912,656	19,052,109
1925	369,118,000	117,211,347	7,705,596	21,076,796
1926	402,490,000	106,967,661	6,462,535	22,958,371
1927	499,322,000	96,551,738	6,735,960	24,603,065
1928	443,860,000	101,595,358	7,284,622	25,479,208
1929	482,920,000	96,244,230	6,339,052	23,087,271
1930	459,970,000	105,022,384	6,345,785	21,616,472
1931	427,220,000	114,201,709	6,536,503	21,125,386

Estimated total wool production 1931-32, 415,000,000 lb.

No. 24.—Shearing—Quantity and Value of Wool Produced.

Year ended 30th June.	No. of Sheep and Lambs shorn.	Average weight of wool clip (greasy) Sheep and Lambs.	Weight of Wool Produced.			Value of Wool Produced. (On basis of average prices at Sydney Auctions).	
			Shorn Crutched and Dead.	Derived from or exported on Skins.	Total.		
	thousands.	lb.	thousand lb. greasy.			d. per lb.	£
1926	45,550	8.1	369,500	32,990	402,490	16.9	28,216,000
1927	51,880	8.8	457,552	41,770	499,322	17.1	35,629,000
1928	53,730	7.5	406,080	37,780	443,860	19.5	36,064,000
1929	50,300	8.8	446,090	36,830	482,920	16.5	33,206,000
1930	53,260	7.8	417,730	42,240	459,970	10.5	20,123,000
1931	48,840	7.9	385,690	41,530*	427,220	8.7	15,486,000

* Partly estimated; subject to revision.

Preliminary statistics as to sheep in 1931, as compared with 1929 and 1930, are as follows:—

				Year ended 31st December.		
				1929.	1930.	1931.
Number of sheep at end of year	...	...	...	50,740,000	49,870,000	*
Lambs marked during year	...	...	...	12,560,000	10,950,000	*
Sheep slaughtered during year	...	...	...	5,380,000	6,350,000	7,050,000
Net export (Interstate)	...	...	...	2,410,000	1,090,000	820,000
Number of deaths (approximate)	...	...	...	4,540,000	4,380,000	*

* Not available.

No. 25.—Butter Produced in Factories, 1927-1931.

Month.	1927-28.	1928-29.	1929-30.	1930-31.	1931-32.
	lb.	lb.	lb.	lb.	lb.
July	3,833,528	4,135,582	4,475,401	4,980,591	6,589,762
August	3,752,986	4,630,912	4,177,526	5,307,967	6,770,930
September	3,788,843	6,086,264	5,654,839	7,244,558	7,828,733
October	5,827,304	8,250,250	8,619,999	9,914,342	9,743,068
November	8,953,118	7,808,092	10,967,015	10,824,254	11,495,388
December	12,009,976	7,335,612	10,169,585	10,416,192	.....
January	12,402,055	8,483,341	11,256,703	9,912,639	.....
February	11,793,900	9,784,653	11,226,810	10,662,140	.....
March	11,619,637	12,090,112	11,621,689	12,384,094	.....
April	9,692,439	10,273,146	9,604,033	10,813,135	.....
May	7,812,714	7,780,453	7,514,365	9,127,644	.....
June	5,231,650	5,087,437	5,523,552	7,704,432	.....
Year	96,718,150	91,745,854	100,811,517	109,291,988	.....
Six months ended 31st December ...	38,165,755	38,246,712	44,064,365	48,687,904	.....

No. 26.—Minerals Won in New South Wales, 1929-1930.

Minerals.	1929.		1930.	
	Quantity.	Value.	Quantity.	Value.
		£		£
Coal ton	7,617,736	5,952,720	7,093,055	5,193,032
Gold oz. fine	7,496	31,842	12,493	53,066
Silver—Ingots and Matte oz.	4,471	392	5,290	267
Silver—Lead, Ore, Concentrates, etc. ton	285,031	3,032,349	279,513	2,088,523
Zinc Concentrates ...	231,237	802,693	297,762	986,087
Tin Ingots and Ore ..	934	191,199	590	84,800
Copper, Ingots, Matte, and Ore ..	176	14,183	242	8,347
Silica	20,699	6,599	13,667	6,204
Manganese Ore	233	946	125	375
Limestone Flux	69,243	25,966	28,556	10,708
Opal (Noble) ... ..	...	6,071	...	5,500
All other Minerals ...	...	1,858,555	...	1,656,788
Total £	...	11,923,515	...	10,093,697
Other:—				
Portland Cement* ton	433,965	1,780,021	243,368	926,792
Lime	41,049	112,667	19,971	52,365
Coke*	464,360	757,580	367,772	589,342

* Quantity manufactured and value.

No. 27.—Factories, 1921-31.

Year ended 30th June.	Establish- ments.	Persons Engaged (including Working Proprietors).			Value of Plant and Machinery.	Salaries and Wages Paid, exclusive of drawings by Working Proprietors.	Total Value of Output.†
		Males.	Females.	Total.			
	No.	No.	No.	No.	£	£	£
1921	5,837	112,187	32,824	145,011	31,115,444	25,618,591	137,841,386
1922	6,356	112,362	36,514	148,876	35,229,539	26,783,242	132,820,065
1923	6,703	115,287	37,299	152,586	37,579,386	27,135,647	132,853,608
1924	7,321	121,845	37,829	159,674	41,141,890	29,772,994	146,359,260
1925	7,906	126,496	39,264	165,760	43,553,900	31,520,849	159,608,873
1926	8,196	132,239	41,862	174,101	45,994,534	33,566,546	169,963,146
1927	8,222	138,309	44,884	183,193	48,659,375	37,092,196	179,302,446
1928	8,362	137,936	44,724	182,660	50,489,674	37,818,141	181,403,084
1929	8,465	139,104	46,038	185,142	51,365,710	38,544,687	185,298,575
1930	8,208	125,769	41,921	167,690	53,515,368	34,875,995	167,250,618
1931†	7,544	98,346	34,964	133,310	50,865,884	*25,197,260	118,483,534

* Of this amount males received £21,605,432 and females £3,591,828. † The value added in process of manufacture shown in Table 29. ‡ Subject to revision.

No. 28.—Quantities of Certain Articles Manufactured in New South Wales during the years ended 30th June, 1929 and 1930.

Article Manufactured.		Quantity.		Value.	
		1929.	1930.	1929.	1930.
				£	£
Aerated Waters, Cordials, etc.	... doz.	6,980,373	7,347,121†	1,071,897	950,210
Ale, Beer, and Stout	... gals.	29,420,920	26,113,448	3,176,085	2,827,267
Bacon and Ham	... lb.	22,340,106	20,984,249	1,163,507	1,047,625
Biscuits	... "	43,289,522	40,820,175	1,402,757	1,351,068
Boots, Shoes and Slippers	... pairs	5,123,148	4,439,940	2,632,713	2,088,638
Bricks—Building	... No.	437,157,614	307,054,500	1,625,464	1,094,325
Butter	... lb.	91,733,572	100,814,354	7,173,369	7,405,007
Candles	... "	2,896,276	1,459,808	104,297	53,511
Cheese	... "	6,203,409	6,163,295	282,755	279,929
Coke	... tons.	1,003,626	821,257	1,441,321	1,131,455
Electric Light and Power	... units.	959,984,800	996,116,500	4,930,839	5,319,891
Flour	... tons.	449,011	432,472	4,977,770	4,612,248
Gas	... 1,000 cub. ft.	10,683,530	10,991,780	2,139,694	2,190,737
Gelatine	... cwt.	19,860	21,880	174,755	175,046
Hats and Caps	... No.	2,680,332	2,808,396	948,292	848,111
Ice	... tons.	258,833	216,513	503,605	410,734
Iron and Steel	... "	353,921	256,696	*	*
Jams and Preserves	... lb.	30,579,955	32,939,456	755,268	728,155
Leather	... "	19,396,619	...	1,660,787	1,503,167
Manures	... cwt.	403,966	448,431	174,389	199,046
Margarine	... lb.	16,627,959	17,615,391	551,014	554,028
Meat—Preserved in Tins	... "	4,251,040	4,185,438	172,627	162,408
Pickles and Sauces	... pints.	10,419,549	7,549,486	528,713	387,323
Self-raising Flour	... lb.	25,636,004	26,735,004	294,093	318,767
Soap	... cwt.	483,531	410,248	1,152,735	1,002,605
Soap Extracts, Powders, etc.	... lb.	6,022,338	5,476,466	87,847	66,315
Socks and Stockings	... doz. pairs	1,142,192	1,021,646	1,343,990	1,146,988
Sugar (the Produce of Cane)	... cwt.	339,078	391,366	364,175	471,920
Timber (Native)—					
Softwood	... sup. ft.	41,636,901	37,464,403	543,012	465,641
Hardwood	... "	94,414,153	81,556,393	1,112,247	934,322
Tobacco, Cigars, etc.—					
Tobacco	... lb.	10,134,242	10,386,232	3,064,680	3,414,110
Cigars	... "	86,057	77,596	95,005	84,132
Cigarettes	... "	5,117,501	5,151,766	1,695,618	1,902,012
Tweed and Cloth	... yards.	2,822,663	3,118,673	1,190,526	1,225,372
Wool, Scoured	... lb.	19,649,577	18,616,990	2,106,373	1,360,933

* Not available.

† Gallons.

NOTE.—Fuller details are shown in the New South Wales Statistical Register.

No. 29.—Value of Production—Recorded Industries—1920-1931.

All values are as at place of production.

(In thousands, 000 omitted.)

Year ended 30th June.	Primary Industries.							Manufacturing Industry. †	Total, Primary and Man- ufacturing Industries.
	Rural Industries (Farm Value).				Forests, Fisheries, and Trapping.	Mining Industry (Value at Mine).	Total Primary Industries.		
	Pastoral.	Agricul- tural.	Dairying and Farm- yard.	Total Rural Industries.					
	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
1920	40,335	13,582	11,793	65,710	7,760	9,650	83,120	39,314	122,434
1921	20,336	32,373	16,447	69,156	4,089	10,192	83,437	43,128	126,565
1922	25,020	20,261	12,914	58,195	3,628	9,666	71,489	46,746	118,235
1923	36,783	21,301	13,445	71,529	4,810	10,419	86,758	51,596	138,354
1924	39,775	20,556	12,327	72,658	4,204	11,845	88,707	55,661	144,368
1925	46,028	28,785	14,336	89,149	5,039	11,785	105,973	59,044	165,017
1926	42,369	20,741	14,712	77,822	5,609	12,346*	95,777	64,838	160,615
1927	47,822	22,098	14,591	84,511	6,147	12,352*	103,010	69,849	172,859
1928	45,407	17,018	15,273	77,698	5,208	10,436*	93,342	71,805	165,147
1929	43,701	19,923	14,849	78,473	5,144	8,833*	92,450	73,627	166,077
1930	28,511	15,438	14,796	58,745	4,131	7,499*	70,375	66,848	137,223
1931†	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	57,500†	49,500	107,000†

* Excluding the output of quarries, valued at £979,000 in 1926, £1,521,500 in 1927, £1,500,000 in 1928, £1,409,000 in 1929, and to £945,000 in 1930.

† This item represents value added in process of manufacture, i.e., value of output at factory less value of material and fuel used. ‡ Approximate. Subject to revision. § Not available.

No. 30.—New Buildings and Additions completed in Metropolitan Area during Year.

(Based on Records of Metropolitan Water, Sewerage and Drainage Board.)

Year.	City of Sydney.		Suburbs.*		Metropolitan Area.*	
	Number of New Buildings.	Cost of New Buildings and of Additions to Old Buildings.	Number of New Buildings.	Cost of New Buildings and of Additions to Old Buildings.	Number of New Buildings.	Cost of New Buildings and of Additions to Old Buildings.
		£		£		£
1921	67	1,399,467	7,658	7,684,117	7,725	9,083,584
1922	153	1,593,684	7,852	7,663,659	8,005	9,257,343
1923	277	1,634,081	9,080	7,826,744	9,357	9,460,825
1924	402	3,501,809	10,454	9,835,324	10,856	13,337,133
1925	263	2,593,452	9,408	8,180,965	9,671	10,774,417
1926	168	2,621,780	9,596	9,677,187	9,764	12,298,967
1927	214	2,795,277	9,490	10,598,945	9,704	13,394,222
1928	324	3,630,037	10,216	11,496,270	10,540	15,126,307
1929	151	4,945,072	8,490	10,393,236	8,641	15,338,308
1930	231	2,865,204	4,691	5,616,313	4,922	8,481,517
1931	126	542,551	1,203	1,068,129	1,329	1,610,680

* Including Auburn, Bankstown, Granville, Lidcombe, and Parramatta.

No. 31.—Total Value of Building Permits.

Quarter ended.	City of Sydney.*		Suburbs of Sydney.		Country Municipalities.		Seven Shires Adjacent to Metropolitan Area.	
	New Buildings, Alterations and Additions.		New Buildings.	Alterations and Additions.	New Buildings.	Alterations and Additions.	New Buildings.	Alterations and Additions.
	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
1929—March	...	2,513,753	449,095	879,651	182,836	184,297	13,837	
June	2,380,032	513,910	954,923	213,857	188,359	20,935	
September	...	2,425,428	448,607	1,114,106	216,404	214,332	25,089	
December	...	1,750,793	316,438	827,182	137,167	180,371	23,539	
Year	...	9,070,006	1,728,050	3,775,862	750,264	767,359	83,400	
1930—March	...	1,033,059	268,438	626,670	144,413	119,757	11,031	
June	600,816	196,431	439,217	138,483	99,501	16,172	
September	...	505,623	139,445	283,844	95,220	84,023	17,738	
December	...	216,555	94,976	146,062	67,856	53,847	18,407	
Year	...	2,356,053	699,290	1,495,793	445,972	357,128	63,348	
1931—March	...	411,905	171,375	129,960	173,473	62,128	37,650	8,012
June	224,367	111,986	78,116	112,335	45,128	48,205	12,064
September	...	29,598	103,321	80,737	91,023	39,875	36,799	8,135
December	...	2,490	67,929	58,845	84,169	53,869	30,247	7,071
Year	...	668,360	454,611	347,658	460,000	200,000	152,901	35,282

* Proposed new buildings, alterations and additions as recorded by Metropolitan Water, Sewerage and Drainage Board.

No. 32.—Permits for New Buildings—Suburbs of Sydney—Monthly.

Month.	1928.†		1929.		1930.		1931.	
	Permits.	Estimated Value.	Permits.	Estimated Value.	Permits.	Estimated Value.	Permits.	Estimated Value.
		£		£		£		£
January ...	747	1,025,819	742	743,765	381	436,299	66	50,932
February ...	709	800,139	715	817,277	303	303,520	65	64,493
March ...	753	802,589	780	952,711	248	293,240	60	55,950
April ...	616	671,938	689	713,296	213	245,560	37	40,051
May ...	780	874,805	736	894,358	191	223,167	45	42,871
June ...	715	772,093	671	772,378	146	132,089	31	29,064
July ...	816	919,652	875	897,478	151	196,299	35	52,890
August ...	874	972,063	752	838,037	127	172,146	27	30,978
September...	740	783,643	651	689,913	150	137,178	31	19,453
October ...	728	792,449	635	697,673	81	88,276	29	26,025
November ...	714	841,445	546	639,098	69	71,746	32	27,984
December ...	513	511,820	342	414,022	69	56,533	16	13,920
Total (12 months)	8,705	9,768,455	8,134	9,070,006	2,129	2,356,053	474	454,611

† Exclusive of Auburn, Bankstown, Granville, Lidcombe, and Parramatta.

NOTE.—Since January, 1927, garages built on to existing buildings have been treated as additions.

No. 33.—Permits for New Buildings in Metropolis.

Number and Value of New Buildings for which permits were issued in each Municipality during the Twelve Months ended 31st December, 1930, and 1931

Municipality.	Estimated Population on 31st December, 1930.	New Buildings during January to December.				Alterations and Additions during January to December.			
		1930.		1931.		1930.		1931.	
		Per-mits.	Estimated Value.	Per-mits.	Estimated Value.	Per-mits.	Estimated Value.	Per-mits.	Estimated Value.
City of Sydney ...	109,500	46	£ *	14	£ *	943	£ *	636	£ *
Suburbs :									
North-western—									
Annandale ...	13,140	1	10,500	1	50	32	7,437	17	1,762
Balmain ...	33,240	14	8,790	9	3,656	146	11,371	65	6,081
Glebe ...	23,170	8	7,898	2	13,500	57	15,180	39	2,690
Leichhardt ...	31,470	17	23,300	8	8,800	122	11,492	66	13,262
West-central—									
Erskineville ...	7,620	1	700	...	...	3	1,410	...	...
Newtown ...	28,660	13	8,100	3	2,590	131	8,998	57	7,365
St. Peters ...	13,890	3	3,200	3	2,700	15	1,710	15	662
East-central—									
Alexandria ...	10,380	10	19,450	3	1,750	54	45,810	33	26,708
Botany ...	7,970	44	36,085	5	2,185	47	2,261	44	3,577
Darlington ...	3,660	1	1,551	1	95	8	3,220	7	1,722
Mascot ...	13,910	47	42,427	7	2,491	88	4,808	58	3,528
Redfern ...	24,160	6	26,989	3	2,520	50	12,089	24	5,179
Waterloo ...	12,920	14	9,510	1	1,960	69	12,616	45	16,312
Eastern—									
Paddington ...	27,080	7	18,256	...	...	93	18,104	49	2,717
Randwick ...	74,080	156	202,656	16	17,364	378	41,353	216	14,409
Vaucluse ...	7,400	19	34,452	11	15,400	79	9,543	63	4,996
Waverley ...	52,360	38	62,688	15	12,720	189	25,018	133	10,157
Woollahra ...	34,470	36	151,804	16	28,060	194	51,169	104	20,226
Western—									
Ashfield ...	39,780	45	86,035	13	15,485	311	21,301	193	8,756
Auburn ...	19,910	28	19,697	2	650	211	9,069	115	5,168
Burwood ...	19,550	27	23,921	5	4,095	170	16,754	120	5,270
Concord ...	22,430	34	39,924	2	1,275	193	14,750	150	7,255
Drummoyne ...	29,090	56	54,806	6	2,414	263	23,405	111	5,348
Enfield ...	14,020	27	38,265	2	735	102	5,365	63	2,826
Granville ...	19,230	70	50,886	10	4,875	148	10,683	78	4,083
Homebush ...	3,190	1	1,500	...	...	43	3,386	10	212
Lidcombe ...	15,740	31	21,551	6	13,320	92	4,199	56	4,881
Marrickville ...	46,590	40	28,755	13	10,650	133	24,277	62	8,191
Parramatta ...	17,710	39	38,035	10	10,330	79	7,977	44	2,095
Petersham ...	28,340	19	19,725	8	5,830	90	8,070	39	12,696
Strathfield ...	12,280	29	44,852	6	15,038	120	6,499	70	4,123
Southern—									
Bankstown ...	22,320	137	86,002	32	10,105	193	9,079	91	4,620
Bexley ...	20,360	29	21,671	14	9,715	163	9,057	92	4,206
Canterbury ...	73,860	236	196,599	33	33,740	551	26,171	311	11,411
Hurstville ...	21,700	87	68,491	26	15,362	175	12,436	111	14,141
Kogarah ...	29,700	122	98,503	19	12,050	270	13,735	161	6,489
Rockdale ...	37,640	90	81,597	29	20,605	285	22,064	190	21,288
Northern—									
Eastwood ...	2,960	9	4,850	3	1,525	31	5,862	17	363
Hunter's Hill ...	9,760	21	22,725	13	9,540	77	10,808	49	3,594
Kuring-gai ...	28,480	132	186,321	37	42,694	294	39,875	215	18,058
Lane Cove ...	14,900	47	43,630	7	5,360	113	7,286	90	6,152
Manly ...	26,230	53	77,815	7	5,898	192	23,010	82	6,232
Mosman ...	25,140	27	58,905	12	10,950	114	18,180	69	9,335
North Sydney ...	55,120	41	61,156	15	29,131	233	29,992	151	14,582
Ryde ...	26,030	123	112,768	26	33,275	218	9,951	147	5,402
Willoughby ...	42,420	94	98,712	14	8,123	293	22,454	184	9,528
Total (Suburbs)	1,144,060	2,129	2,356,053	474	454,611	6,912	699,290	4,106	347,658
Total (City of Sydney)	109,500	46	*	14	*	943	*	636	*
Total (Metropolis)	1,253,560	2,175	2,356,053	488	454,611	7,855	699,290	4,742	347,658

* Information not available.

Note.—For return of buildings erected during previous years see Tables No. 30, 31 and 32.
Inclusive of Auburn, Bankstown, Granville, Lidcombe, and Parramatta, included in Country Municipalities prior to 1st January, 1929.

No. 34.—Permits to Erect New Buildings—Country Municipalities.

Municipality.	Esti- mated Popu- lation on 31st Dec., 1930.	New Buildings, Jan. to December, 1931.		Municipality.	Esti- mated Popu- lation on 31st Dec., 1930.	New Buildings, Jan. to December, 1931.		Municipality.	Esti- mated Popu- lation on 31st Dec., 1930.	New Buildings, Jan. to December, 1931.	
		Permits.	Esti- mated Value.			Permits.	Esti- mated Value.			Permits.	Esti- mated Value.
Balance of Cum- berland—		No.	£	South Coast—	No.	£		Central Western Slope—	No.	£	
Cabramatta and Canley Vale ..	4,820	60	3,416	Bega	5	1,185		Dubbo	6,180	7	2,925
Campbelltown ..	2,740	5	1,510	Berry	5	2,034		Forbes	5,120	7	1,477
Castlereagh ...	660	2	650	Bowral	20	8,302		Molong	1,560	6	875
Dundas	5,600	6	6,540	Braidwood ...	1	100		Narromine ...	1,250	2	225
Epping and Rydalmere ...	2,230	1	900	Broughton Vale	250	...		Parkes	5,660	3	2,450
Fairfield	7,840	23	6,841	Camden	2,230	7	12,380	Peak Hill	1,090	5	1,460
Holroyd	14,850	29	11,530	Gerrington ...	730	6	2,685				
Ingleburn	1,560	7	2,020	Illawarra, Central	7,090	16	4,061				
Liverpool	6,240	17	4,255	Illawarra, North	6,650	1	440†	South-western Slope—			
Penrith	4,150	6	1,740	Jamberoo	1,030	1	200†	Albury	9,320	5	4,163
Richmond	2,110	4	1,580	Kiama	2,080	1	450	Burrowa	1,230	2	250
St. Mary's	2,420	20	23,410	Mittagong	1,550	5	3,350	Cootamundra ...	4,280	3	3,650
Windsor	3,360	9	4,665	Moss Vale	1,930	2	950	Grenfell	2,190	3	1,600
				Nowra	2,970	8	5,135	Junee	2,980	...	...
				Pietermaritzburg	1,020	2	700	Murrumburrah	3,000	...	...
				Shellharbour ...	1,660	15	3,383	Temora	3,420	4	4,630
				Shellharbour S'th.	1,080	2	575	Wagga Wagga	8,920	10	4,364
				Ulladulla	1,400	16	3,204	Wallendbeen ...	730	...	...
				Wollongong ...	10,130	8	13,358	Wyalong	830	...	...
								Young	3,870	4	2,850
North Coast—				Northern Table- land—				North Central Plain—			
Ballina	3,800	6	2,625	Armidale	7,090	7	5,000	Moree	3,990	8	3,130
Casino	4,090	37	16,310	Glen Innes ...	4,680	4	1,430	Narrabri	2,560	6	2,950
Coraki	1,280	1	60†	Inverell	5,390	9	3,775	Narrabri West...	1,010	2	550
Grafton	4,900	16	10,955	Tenterfield ...	2,710	3	1,950				
Grafton, South...	2,050	10	3,000	Uralla	950	1	980				
Kempsey	3,660	8	2,360	Walcha	1,370	5	1,460				
Lismore	10,370	37	39,176					Central Plain—			
Maclean	1,630	4	978					Condonbolin ...	2,010	4	1,425
Mullumbimby ...	1,270	2	500					Coonamble	2,380	2	750
Murwillumbah ...	3,010	15	9,716					Nyngan	1,400	...	...
Ullmarra	2,240	6	2,450					Warren	1,320	4	3,000
				Central Table- land—				Riverina—			
Hunter and Manning—				Bathurst	9,690	2	1,325	Corowa	2,690	4	1,785
Newcastle City ...	14,070	7	9,293	Blackheath ...	2,520	13	5,195	Deniliquin ...	3,240	6	990
Adamstown	4,920	...	...	Blayney	1,510	2	58	Hay	2,720	6	6,585
Carrington	3,160	3	580	Carcoar	430	...	...	Hillston	960	7	1,375
Hamilton	21,500	3	2,734	Cowra	4,490	6	2,710	Moama	640	...	...
Lambton	6,120	3	865	Gulgong	1,470	1	400	Narrandera ...	3,670	8	3,275
Lambton, New	4,340	4	2,220	Katoomba	10,020	16	6,586				
Merewether	8,180	37	25,980	Lithgow	15,300	17	7,235				
Stockton	5,210	1	500	Mudgee	3,090	5	1,505				
Wallsend	7,370	14	5,660	Orange	8,590	8	8,560				
Waratah	17,660	5	2,738	Wellington ...	3,560	6	2,780				
Wickham	11,640	2	585					Western Division—			
Total, Newcastle and Suburbs ...	104,170	79	51,464†	Southern Table- land—				Balranald	1,010	1	400
				Bombala	1,000	6	2,175	Bourke	1,670	3	875
Aberdeen	910	1	650	Cooma	1,920	5	2,350	Brewarrina ...	680	2	530
Cessnock	13,930	13	3,975	Goulburn	12,560	11	9,240	Broken Hill ...	22,990	16	9,996
Dungog	1,730	2	900	Queanbeyan ...	3,840	3	850	Cobar	1,010	...	...
Greta	1,480	2	80	Yass	2,830	5	1,037	Wentworth ...	870	...	...
Maitland, East	4,090	3	1,500					Wilcannia	450	1	150
Maitland, West..	7,720	7	4,800§	North-western Slope—				Total, Country Municipalities.	538,960	904	457,741†
Morpeth	1,070	1	600	Barraba	1,230	5	1,836				
Muswellbrook ...	2,640	1	952	Bingara	1,060	...	...		
Port Macquarie..	1,880	8	2,160	Gunnedah ...	2,720	8	4,375				
Raymond Ter- race	870	...	...	Manilla	1,460	...	...		
Scone	1,990	4	2,450	Murrumbundi	1,320	1	650				
Singleton	3,420	8	4,100	Quirindi	2,460	...	...		
Taree	2,440	7	3,425	Tamworth	7,690	12	7,860				
Wingham	1,180	14	5,639								

* Information not supplied.

† January to September.

§ January to June.

‡ Incomplete.

No. 35.—Country Municipalities—Permits to Erect New Buildings during 1921–31.

Year.	New Buildings.		Year.	New Buildings.	
	Permits.	Estimated Value.		Permits.	Estimated Value.
		£			£
1921	3,131	1,979,109	1927	6,463	4,647,941
1922	4,629	2,678,399	1928	5,801	4,301,344
1923	6,026	3,759,126	1929	4,375	3,775,862
1924	6,008	3,747,801	1930	1,945	1,495,793
1925	7,338	4,317,921	1931	910*	460,000*
1926	7,818	4,486,697			

Notes.—The municipalities of Auburn, Bankstown, Granville, Lidcombe, and Parramatta, have been excluded from this table, and included in Metropolis from 1st January, 1929.

* Partly estimated.

No. 36.—Revenue and Expenditure of New South Wales, 1926-27 to 1930-31.

Classification.	1926-27.	1927-28.	1928-29.	1929-30.	1930-31.
REVENUE.					
	£	£	£	£	£
Governmental—					
Commonwealth contributions	£ 2,917,411	2,978,343	2,856,479	2,917,411	2,917,411
Taxation—State	£ †11,930,050	†10,725,257	†11,841,136	†11,454,307	†9,556,902
Land—Alienation	1,043,388	1,102,858	1,139,930	1,021,697	800,383
Revenue	1,166,889	1,173,464	1,104,641	967,929	777,705
Total Land	£ 2,210,277	2,276,322	2,244,571	1,989,626	1,578,088
Services (other than Business Undertakings)...	1,349,554	1,399,083	1,584,020	1,684,005	1,740,925
Miscellaneous Receipts	1,389,707	1,512,438	2,177,734	1,705,452	1,651,188
Total Governmental	£ 19,796,999	18,891,443	20,703,940	19,750,801	17,444,514
Business Undertakings—					
Railways and Tramways	22,980,486	23,894,940	24,873,506a	22,530,162a	19,064,212
Sydney Harbour Trust	1,083,856	1,078,293	1,103,598a	1,017,934a	840,077
Metropolitan Board of Water and Sewerage ...	.....	.....	2,716,184a	2,753,600a	2,704,088
Hunter District Board of Water and Sewerage	245,776	294,306	306,911a	311,631a	298,601
Total Business Undertakings	£ 24,310,118	25,267,539	29,000,199a	26,613,417a	22,906,978
Other Receipts (Advances Repaid, etc.) ...	42,449	39,990	.....	.....	.....
Total Consolidated Revenue Fund	£ 44,149,566	44,198,972	*20,703,940	*19,750,801	*17,444,514
Motor Tax and Motor Licenses	644,278	1,330,399	1,537,598	1,340,670	1,351,909
Metropolitan Board of Water and Sewerage ...	2,266,909	2,468,001	See above.	See above.	See above.
Gross Total	£ 47,060,753	47,997,372	51,241,737	47,704,888	41,703,401
Contribution to Railways (duplicated above) ...	.....	.....	800,000	800,000	800,000
Net Total	£ 47,060,753	47,997,372	50,441,737	46,904,888	40,903,401
EXPENDITURE.					
Governmental—					
Interest on Public Debt and Special Deposits...	3,100,335	3,774,872	3,377,649	3,559,870	4,023,489
Transfer to Public Works Fund	376,628	390,047	.....	.....	.....
Departments—					
Premier	122,370	136,747	262,196	249,715	227,979
Chief Secretary	1,489,642	1,704,684	1,998,209	2,161,136	1,786,948
Health (incl. Lunacy)	1,556,648	1,690,560	1,758,036	1,783,643	1,471,510
Treasurer (ex. Business Undertakings, and Interest on Deposits, etc.)	1,044,481	1,103,556	2,069,134	2,424,374	2,596,309
Attorney-General and Justice	748,121	652,142	873,788	867,429	794,434
Lands (incl. Forests 1926-1927)	545,924	467,770	466,834	459,602	390,937
Public Works (ex. Business Undertakings)...	803,280	787,277	700,547	685,999	502,853
Public Instruction (ex. Endowments, etc.)...	4,607,571	4,846,451	5,130,684	5,244,602	4,928,705
Labour and Industry	389,165	140,229	112,646	105,582	97,172
Mines (incl. Forests 1928 to 1931)	105,525	182,626	186,143	192,302	165,139
Agriculture	587,728	601,280	737,002	747,239	703,724
Local Government, incl. Endowments, etc.	214,170	434,769	403,089	351,939	274,559
All other Services	1,832,489	2,133,878	2,034,814	2,296,632	2,355,020
Total, Governmental	£ 17,524,077	19,046,888	20,110,771	21,130,064	20,318,778
Business Undertakings, incl. Interest on Capital—					
Railways and Tramways	23,855,608	25,038,963	25,922,235a	25,671,780a	24,024,327a
Sydney Harbour Trust	824,885	875,058	983,104a	1,011,227a	931,207a
Hunter District Board of Water and Sewerage	202,881	224,709	296,164a	306,357a	297,731a
Total, Business Undertakings	£ 24,883,374	26,138,739	27,201,503a	26,989,364a	25,253,265a
Grants to Public Works Fund	225,000	60,000	.....	.....	.....
Other Payments (Advances made, etc.) ...	58,183	48,350	.....	.....	.....
Total, Consolidated Revenue Fund	£ 42,690,634	45,293,968	*20,110,771	*21,130,064	*20,318,778
Metropolitan Water Board—Working Expenses	**946,504	**1,033,396	**966,933	**1,057,670	**975,932
„ „ „ Interest on Capital†	†1,200,000	†1,200,000	†1,250,000	†1,250,000	†800,000
Motor Taxes paid to Main Roads Board ...	644,278	1,330,399	1,537,598	1,340,670	1,351,909
Gross Total	£ 45,481,416	48,857,763	51,066,805	51,767,768	48,699,884
Contribution to Railways (duplicated above) ...	.....	.....	800,000	800,000	800,000
Net Total	£ 45,481,416	48,857,763	50,266,805	50,967,768	47,899,884

* Including Sinking Fund and Renewals. † Exclusive of Motor Tax and Motor License Fees paid to Main Roads Board (see below) and of costs of collection included below under Services. ‡ Exclusive of interest paid to Consolidated Revenue Account, £211,107 in 1926-27, £193,803 in 1927-28, £185,079 in 1928-29, £313,125 in 1929-30 and £391,254 in 1930-31. * Totals not comparable with previous years. Metropolitan Water Board excluded from Consolidated Revenue from 1-4-25; other Business Undertakings from 1-7-28. a Not included in total Consolidated Revenue.

No. 37.—Revenue and Expenditure, per head, 1921-31.

Governmental.

Year ended 30th June.	Revenue.					Expenditure.				
	Taxation.	Common-wealth Contributions.	Land Revenue.	Other Revenue.	Total.	Public Instruction, excluding Endowments.	Interest and Sinking Funds.	Other Services.	Total.	
	*									
1921	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	
1922	3 10 9	1 4 3	1 0 7	14 3	6 9 10	1 15 4	0 15 8	4 3 1	6 14 1	
1923	3 8 2	1 4 9	0 18 10	18 11	6 10 8	1 18 4	0 15 1	4 10 4	7 3 9	
1924	3 11 9	1 4 9	0 17 8	18 3	6 12 5	1 16 3	0 16 10	3 16 6	6 9 7	
1925	3 12 4	1 4 9	0 17 6	20 2	6 14 9	1 16 3	1 0 3	4 1 2	6 17 8	
1926	3 12 0	1 4 10	0 18 2	21 0	6 16 0	1 17 5	1 9 7	4 3 1	7 10 1	
1927	3 17 0	1 4 10	0 18 6	21 7	7 1 11	1 18 10	1 6 0	4 0 0	7 4 10	
1928	5 1 8	1 4 10	0 18 10	23 8	8 9 0	1 19 3	1 6 9	4 5 8	7 11 8	
1929	4 9 4	1 4 10	0 18 11	24 7	7 17 8	2 0 5	1 11 5	4 7 9	7 19 7	
1930	4 16 9	1 3 4	0 18 4	30 9	8 9 2	2 1 11	1 7 7	4 14 10	8 4 4	
1931	4 12 6	1 3 7	0 16 0	27 4	7 19 5	2 2 4	1 8 0	4 19 6	8 10 7	
1931	3 16 5	1 3 4	0 12 7	27 2	6 19 6	1 19 5	1 12 2	4 10 11	8 2 6	

* In 1925 and later years Motor Tax and Traffic Licenses, less cost of collection, &c, were transferred to Special Deposits Account—Main Roads Account.

No. 38.—Consolidated Revenue Fund, N.S.W.—Revenue and Expenditure— July to December, 1930 and 1931.

Head of Revenue.						July to December.		Increase or Decrease (-)
						1930.	1931.	
Governmental—						£	£	£
Contributions by Commonwealth under States Grants Act	...	...	...	...	...	1,458,708	1,458,708	...
Taxation (by State) ...	...	...	...	...	...	4,171,270	3,072,964	(-) 1,098,306
Land Revenue ...	...	...	...	...	...	540,750	507,260	(-) 33,490
Receipts for Services Rendered ...	...	...	...	...	...	742,739	573,051	(-) 169,688
Miscellaneous Receipts ...	...	...	...	...	...	711,237	1,232,372	521,135
State Lotteries Act, 1930 ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	281,494	281,494
Gross Total ...	...	...	...	...	...	7,624,704	7,125,849	(-) 498,855
Refunds ...	...	...	...	...	...	171,389	109,766	(-) 61,623
Net Total (Governmental) ...	...	...	...	...	...	7,453,315	7,016,083	(-) 437,232
Special Purposes (Revenue) Fund—						£	£	£
Sale of Crown Lands ...	...	...	...	...	...	231,462	222,895	(-) 8,567
Royalties on Minerals ...	...	...	...	...	...	18,552	2,108	(-) 16,444
Royalties, etc., on Timber ...	...	...	...	...	...	14,837	19,614	4,777
Sales of Property ...	...	...	...	...	...	1,022	921	(-) 101
Other Receipts ...	...	...	...	...	...	3,017	415	(-) 2,602
Gross Total ...	...	...	...	...	...	268,890	245,953	(-) 22,937
Refunds ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	103	103
Net Total (Special Purposes (Revenue) Fund) ...	...	...	...	...	...	268,890	245,850	(-) 23,040
Grand Total ...	...	...	...	...	£	7,722,205	7,261,933	(-) 460,272
Head of Expenditure.						July to December.		Increase or Decrease (-)
						1930.	1931.	
Governmental ...						£	£	£
Interest ...	...	...	...	...	...	8,287,451	8,947,252	659,801
	...	...	...	...	...	2,591,874	6,741,239	4,149,365
Total ...	...	...	...	...	£	10,879,325	15,688,491	4,809,166

No. 39.—Public Debt and Expenditure from Loans, N.S.W., 1927-31.

Year ended 30th June.	Funded Debt. (a)	Gross Debt taken over by Commonwealth. (b)	Public Debt. (on Capital Account).		Loan Expenditure authorised during year.	Actual Loan Expenditure during year. (d)	Repayments to Credit of Votes of previous years. (d)	Net Addition to Loan Expenditure during year. (d)
			Total. (c)	Per Head of Population.				
	£	£	£	£ s. d.	£	£	£	£
1927	227,724,466	239,441,363	234,669,711	98 18 6	11,316,873	14,069,855	2,277,743	11,792,112
1928	245,247,907	257,189,045	248,243,348	102 7 8	17,686,837	13,760,264	1,225,987	12,534,277
1929	256,791,944	268,635,883	267,277,435	108 9 6	13,491,447	16,743,136	681,772	16,061,364
1930	259,589,967	270,908,045	276,209,411	111 1 6	12,989,267	10,004,328	614,290	9,390,038
1931	275,697,529	288,108,753	279,928,800	111 11 9	7,106,439	6,152,467	654,218	5,498,249

(a) Funded Stock, Debentures and Treasury Bills Outstanding (face value). (b) Includes Funded Debt plus advances by Commonwealth Government and Commonwealth Bank and Closer Settlement Debentures outstanding. (c) Heading (b) plus Loan overdrafts less Commonwealth Advances and Sinking Fund, &c. (d) General Loan and Loan Suspense Accounts only.

No. 40.—Loan Liability of New South Wales to the Commonwealth as at 30th June, 1931 (in terms of the Commonwealth Financial Agreement).

Register.				Loan Liability.	Proportion on each Register.	Annual Amount of Interest Liability.	Average Nominal Rate of Interest Payable.
				£	per cent.	£	per cent.
Australia	...	...	...	108,304,688	37.59	5,772,171	5.33
London	...	...	...	165,978,441	57.61	7,840,497*	4.72
New York	...	...	...	13,825,624	4.80	671,667*	4.86
Total	...	...	...	288,108,753	100.00	14,284,335	4.96

* Payable in English and American currency respectively, cost of exchange is not included.

No. 41.—Due Dates of New South Wales Loans Maturing prior to 31st December, 1932.

Latest Date of Maturity.						Amount of Loan.	Rate of Interest.
Repayable in Australia.						£	per cent.
1 March, 1932	...	...	...	...	...	86,132	5½
1 March, 1932	...	...	...	...	...	954,800	5½
10 May, 1932	...	...	...	...	...	109,839	5½
26 May, 1932	...	...	...	...	...	117,337	5½
15 June, 1932	...	...	...	...	...	135,466	5½
1 July, 1932	...	...	...	...	...	359,362	5½
29 August, 1932	...	...	...	...	...	50,000	5½
1 September, 1932	...	...	...	...	...	150,000	5½
1 November, 1932	...	...	...	...	...	150,000	5½
1 November, 1932	...	...	...	...	...	83,096	5½
20 December, 1932	...	...	...	...	...	375,458	5½
Repayable in London.							
1 November, 1932	...	...	...	...	...	12,992,904	5½

No. 42.—Trading Banks.

(a) Average Liabilities in New South Wales (including Commonwealth and Rural Banks).

NOTE.—Liabilities to Shareholders are not included.

Quarter ended	Notes in Circulation.	Bills in Circulation.	Deposits.			Balances due to other Banks.	All other Liabilities.	Total Liabilities.
			Not bearing Interest.	Bearing Interest.	Total.			
June.	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
1921	71,654	979,076	53,044,965	54,631,451	107,676,416	2,682,336	...	111,409,482
1922	68,953	965,186	52,276,678	54,086,297	106,362,975	1,541,923	...	108,943,037
1923	67,550	1,046,579	54,005,932	62,163,919	116,169,851	1,050,955	...	118,334,941
1924	66,580	1,103,220	53,655,305	58,164,886	111,820,251	1,328,516	...	114,318,567
1925	65,724	1,206,787	55,771,102	65,139,919	120,911,021	2,587,518	368,497	125,139,547
1926	64,990	1,354,516	59,255,212	70,956,687	130,211,899	3,628,290	349,669	135,609,364
1927	64,681	1,331,637	56,468,226	76,067,917	132,536,143	3,479,900	313,034	137,725,395
1928	64,398	1,598,580	55,357,004	83,155,876	138,512,880	4,153,823	298,071	144,627,752
1929	64,115	1,746,319	56,283,642	†78,040,307	†134,323,949	4,807,230	292,315	†141,233,928
1930	63,870	1,479,146	48,287,572	†82,130,753	†130,418,325	7,715,033	314,970	†139,991,344
1931	63,366	1,208,330	41,243,590	†80,109,505	†121,353,095	8,065,587	303,026	†130,993,404
Dec., 1931	62,544	1,157,045	43,612,060	†74,389,129	†118,031,189	4,243,395	293,707	†123,757,880
Dec., 1930	63,570	1,512,238	42,808,591	†83,014,800	†125,823,391	5,013,285	310,116	†132,722,600

* Includes Commonwealth Savings Bank deposits to 30th June, 1928, included under the returns of Savings Banks—Table No. 45. The amount so included on 30th September, 1927, was £10,492,524, and on 30th June, 1928, £10,434,395. Interest is not paid on the whole of these amounts.

† Commonwealth Bank Savings Bank deposits excluded since 1928.

Note.—There are 13 Trading Banks operating in New South Wales, with 1,068 offices in the State, and 6 in the Federal Capital Territory. The Bank of New South Wales and the Australian Bank of Commerce were amalgamated as from 17th November, 1931. The Commonwealth Bank and the Rural Bank were combined as from 15th December, 1931. The Primary Producers' Bank went into liquidation on 28th September, 1931, but its figures are included in this table.

(b) Average Assets in New South Wales (including Commonwealth and Rural Banks).

Quarter ended	Coin.	Bullion.	Australian Notes.	Landed and House Property.	Notes and Bills of other Banks.	Balances due from other Banks.	Government and Municipal Securities Advances and all other Assets.	Total Assets.
June.	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
1921	9,791,211	360,738	11,812,417	2,573,628	673,740	2,512,885	104,709,314	132,433,933
1922	10,282,955	335,043	10,176,664	2,620,237	792,442	2,832,745	98,335,071	125,375,157
1923	9,917,391	362,257	10,055,027	2,780,285	857,716	2,856,046	113,053,795	139,882,517
1924	11,321,692	389,420	12,111,578	2,960,035	887,317	4,117,438	112,873,479	144,660,959
1925	13,325,015	3,352,615	13,409,010	3,026,704	915,855	3,449,510	111,475,369	148,954,078
1926	10,330,946	74,851	14,362,800	3,112,343	984,258	2,939,786	123,950,187	161,761,171
1927	12,238,342	5,455	10,762,818	3,025,719	1,426,517	3,386,552	135,439,590	166,284,993
1928	12,126,723	5,425	10,374,870	2,987,197	1,394,478	3,362,486	140,690,523	170,941,702
1929	11,978,374	5,746	11,046,465	3,187,582	705,074	3,082,901	143,822,569	173,828,711
1930	2,249,926	4,873	15,767,082	3,472,418	623,404	4,889,830	151,023,652	178,031,185
1931	907,981	274	15,922,237	3,653,313	434,435	2,852,264	†136,353,383	160,123,887
Dec., 1931	996,921	97,433	13,358,619	3,884,487	390,594	3,650,658	†131,150,471	153,529,183
Dec., 1930	1,140,581	330	15,697,729	3,577,609	535,933	3,110,970	†146,760,366	170,823,518

* Since December, 1924, includes coin with Commonwealth Bank. † Includes £8,315,489 short term loans in Australia.

‡ Includes £5,650 short term loans in Australia.

§ Includes £3,951,087 short term loans in Australia.

No. 43.—Trading Banks' Inter-Bank Clearings, Sydney.

1927.		1928.		1929.		1930.		1931.	
Year ended 31st Dec.		£1,034,894,890		£1,033,511,119		£1,043,324,613		£872,387,876*	
Month, 1930.	£	Month, 1930.	£	Month, 1931.	£	Month, 1931.	£		
January ...	78,233,620	July ...	73,741,830	January ...	*67,444,290	July ...	*50,125,730		
February ...	75,504,391	August ...	58,386,051	February ...	*63,786,387	August ...	*45,452,753		
March ...	83,742,801	September	61,736,227	March ...	*70,404,920	September	*54,625,534		
April ...	68,572,063	October ...	*71,534,468	April ...	*64,680,108	October ...	*56,038,370		
May ...	76,684,746	November	*65,796,756	May ...	*55,034,707	November	*50,627,654		
June ...	71,690,087	December	*86,764,836	June ...	*59,359,444	December	*52,941,695		
454,427,708		*417,960,168		*380,709,856		*309,811,736			

NOTE.—These totals represent the amount of cheques drawn on a bank other than the bank in which they are deposited. Net balances of country settlements are included. They are an approximate measure of general business activity. Amalgamations mentioned in note to Table 42 (a) affected the comparability of figures for 1931.

* Adjusted by excluding abnormal transactions on Government accounts.

No. 44.—Index of Amount of Sydney Bank Clearings.

Average for each month = 1,000 (base period, 1926–1930.)

Month.	1926.	1927.	1928.	1929.	1930.	1931.*
January	920	975	1,070	1,038	990	809
February	910	977	1,080	1,047	958	808
March	916	1,007	1,069	1,058	950	807
April	923	1,018	1,040	1,093	926	811
May	944	1,015	1,035	1,087	920	768
June	975	1,025	1,018	1,089	893	741
July	982	1,037	1,028	1,061	895	663
August	981	1,057	1,033	1,078	850	648
September	983	1,060	1,059	1,073	925	643
October	997	1,059	1,085	1,057	802	655
November	1,012	1,083	1,072	1,026	806	638
December	990	1,080	1,042	1,014	803	635

NOTE.—This index represents the ratio of each month's clearings to the average for the month concerned during the five years 1926–1930. Seasonal fluctuations are, therefore, virtually eliminated. The trend has been smoothed out by taking a three months moving average. No allowance has been made for normal growth or change of price levels.

The indexes for individual months of 1931 were respectively :—843, 781, 798, 853, 651, 718, 619, 608, 701, 655, 617, and 638.

* Revised.

No. 45.—Savings Banks in New South Wales.

At 30th June.	Accounts on 30th June.	Amount of Deposits on 30th June	Increase in Deposits during year. ‡	Amount Deposited on 30th June.	
				Per Account.	Per Inhabitant.
	No.	£	£	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
1921	955,931	57,412,638	7,461,276	60 0 2	27 5 10
1922	1,000,958	61,808,882	4,396,244	61 7 10	28 15 1
1923	1,057,941	64,341,246	2,532,364	60 15 5	29 7 4
1924	1,108,131	66,174,117	1,832,871	59 13 5	29 14 1
1925	1,157,850	69,149,433	2,975,316	57 18 7	30 8 5
1926	1,215,917	73,807,651	4,658,218	60 12 3	31 16 8
1927	1,282,682	78,351,733	4,544,082	60 19 5	33 0 7
1928	1,337,492	81,627,667	3,275,934	60 17 10	33 13 4
1929	1,379,126	85,727,514	4,099,847	61 19 4	34 15 10
1930	1,409,099	82,465,430	(—) 3,262,084	58 6 0	33 3 3
1931	1,403,632	69,810,769	(—) 12,654,661	49 10 8	27 16 7
30th Sept., 1931	1,474,974	71,448,529	1,637,760§	48 5 0	28 8 3
30th Sept., 1930	1,410,840	78,552,912	(—) 3,912,518†	55 8 10	31 9 8

NOTE.—“Number of Accounts” in the above table excludes throughout small balance accounts, viz.:—Inoperative (under £1), Special Thrift, and School. These accounts numbered at 30th June, 1931, 327,368, 13,488, and 142,746, respectively, and the amounts at credit were, £61,462, £35,849 and £184,377, included in “Amount of Deposits.” These are not included in calculating amount per account shown above.

(—) Denotes decrease. † Decrease during quarter. ‡ Including accrued interest. § Increase during quarter.

No. 46.—Real Estate Transactions.—New South Wales.

Month.	Amount of Sales.		Amount of Mortgages.	
	1930.	1931.	1930.	1931.
	£	£	£	£
January	3,154,591	796,797	4,329,386	1,746,684
February	3,211,840	1,576,684	3,574,626	2,156,627
March	2,953,980	1,262,543	3,966,371	1,963,028
April	2,596,755	1,030,179	3,518,947	1,888,950
May	2,800,000*	887,701	3,204,768	2,012,698
June	886,246	1,013,820	1,360,328	2,220,550
July	2,473,593	1,083,652	3,281,917	1,883,313
August	2,056,853	1,893,411	2,329,981	1,347,916
September	1,629,666	898,312	2,225,176	1,107,477
October	1,589,772	1,719,119	2,789,643	676,743
November	1,511,956	769,522	2,219,444	680,377
December	1,244,669	754,745	2,237,199	1,093,987
Year	26,109,921*	13,686,485	35,037,786	18,778,350

* Approximate.

No. 47.—Liens on Crops and Wool.

Month.	Crop Liens.				Wool Liens.			
	1930.		1931.		1930.		1931.	
	No.	Amount.	No.	Amount.	Sheep.	Amount.	Sheep.	Amount.
		£		£	No.	£	No.	£
January ...	859	294,079	1,001	439,908	444,665	123,923	863,964	224,243
February ...	1,813	727,731	1,772	746,354	544,026	181,915	907,254	324,638
March ...	1,716	673,835	1,972	913,353	810,839	337,673	1,691,564	483,799
April ...	1,831	642,226	1,606	684,361	807,630	297,222	1,695,692	772,503
May ...	1,822	571,848	1,571	652,017	1,716,035	587,493	1,340,209	514,240
June ...	1,294	448,562	1,119	464,724	1,614,314	660,372	1,361,891	392,600
July ...	1,316	442,593	915	409,923	1,315,283	407,799	1,032,397	224,663
August ...	892	315,289	649	299,266	694,642	191,434	676,398	132,803
September ...	797	215,738	639	295,395	541,919	104,059	491,521	133,455
October ...	707	180,564	540	175,124	355,984	220,333	345,094	86,100
November ...	511	141,475	383	186,706	279,528	70,053	441,589	198,808
December ...	349	83,292	210	80,766	518,498	97,673	628,459	95,636
Year ...	13,907	4,737,232	12,377	5,347,897	9,643,363	3,279,949	11,476,032	3,583,482

No. 48.—Mortgages on Live Stock.

Month.	1930.				1931.			
	Sheep.*	Cattle.	Horses.	Amount.	Sheep.*	Cattle.	Horses.	Amount.
	No.	No.	No.	£	No.	No.	No.	£
January ...	436,733	5,847	864	127,134	773,708	10,073	1,531	214,552
February ...	448,706	8,140	1,339	257,536	767,154	7,627	2,170	324,326
March ...	614,390	8,222	1,373	317,068	1,519,248	17,520	4,277	384,082
April ...	625,039	5,309	1,709	236,108	1,121,533	9,482	2,667	271,176
May ...	669,780	10,860	3,054	300,459	1,132,965	11,321	2,703	219,793
June ...	801,842	10,404	2,852	503,191	830,850	12,062	2,550	249,246
July ...	865,313	9,282	2,300	376,231	741,123	13,606	2,211	179,380
August ...	513,737	9,777	1,197	279,415	512,042	8,036	1,645	131,468
September ...	337,334	5,992	1,113	186,869	399,107	9,322	1,742	215,569
October ...	368,000	8,669	1,351	252,123	419,106	7,014	1,496	103,007
November ...	250,776	5,957	1,091	113,906	484,605	6,665	1,153	116,738
December ...	548,106	9,882	1,503	187,044	909,526	9,739	1,589	276,733
Year ...	6,479,756	98,341	19,746	3,137,084	9,610,967	122,467	25,734	2,686,070

* Some of these sheep are also subject to liens for wool, and are included in Table 47.

No. 49.—Bankruptcies, Etc., in New South Wales—Sequestrations and Deeds of Arrangement (Parts XI and XII of Act).

Month.	1929-30.		1930-31.		1931-32.	
	No.	Liabilities.	No.	Liabilities.	No.	Liabilities.
		£		£		£
July	76	86,589	94	243,619	110	214,715
August	73	93,887	133	215,371	102	485,124
September	71	84,351	150	337,738	114	201,092
October	80	93,039	148	279,282	80	263,247
November	70	102,170	128	211,160	76	226,733
December	80	175,449	121	277,982	71	120,735
January	48	60,262	110	183,491	.....	.....
February	65	63,381	136	269,870	.....	.....
March	101	172,860	137	245,682	.....	.....
April	117	284,925	122	265,013	.....	.....
May	122	231,599	113	207,854	.....	.....
June	124	308,523	124	193,427	.....	.....
Year ended 30th June ...	1,027	1,757,035	1,516	2,930,489	.....	.....
Six months ended 31st December ...	450	635,485	774	1,565,152	553	1,511,646

No. 50.—Unemployment in New South Wales.

(a) Monthly estimates made by Director of Labour Exchange.

Month.	Metropolis.			Country.			New South Wales.		
	1929.	1930.	1931.	1929.	1930.	1931.	1929.	1930.	1931.
January ...	9,000	19,000	65,000	4,000	16,000	30,000	13,000	35,000	95,000
February ...	11,000	23,000	70,000	6,000	17,000	30,000	17,000	40,000	100,000
March ...	11,500	25,000	75,000	14,500	20,000	35,000	26,000	45,000	110,000
April ...	14,500	28,000	75,000	14,000	22,000	40,000	28,500	50,000	115,000
May ...	14,000	30,000	80,000	14,000	22,000	45,000	28,000	52,000	125,000
June ...	13,500	35,000	85,000	14,000	20,000	45,000	27,500	55,000	130,000
July ...	15,000	40,000	85,000	14,000	25,000	40,000	29,000	65,000	125,000
August ...	14,500	40,000	85,000	14,500	20,000	40,000	29,000	60,000	125,000
September ...	15,000	50,000	80,000	15,000	25,000	35,000	30,000	75,000	115,000
October ...	16,000	60,000	80,000	16,000	30,000	30,000	32,000	90,000	110,000
November ...	14,000	60,000	80,000	16,000	30,000	30,000	30,000	90,000	110,000
December ...	10,000	55,000	...	14,000	25,000	...	24,000	80,000	...

(b) Estimated proportion per cent. of unemployed members in unions supplying reports. The returns relate to the middle week of each quarter, and are as compiled by the Commonwealth Statistician.

Quarter Ended.		1928.	1929.	1930.	1931.
		per cent.	per cent.	per cent.	per cent.
March ...	...	11·8	9·7	16·3	29·2
June ...	...	10·9	10·0	21·0	30·7
September ...	...	11·9	12·4	23·3	31·6
December ...	...	10·6	13·8	26·3	31·5

NOTE.—The averages for the other States in December quarter, 1931, were:—Victoria 25·6; Queensland, 17·5; South Australia, 33·7; Western Australia, 28·1; Tasmania, 28·4; and Commonwealth, 28·0 per cent.

No. 51.—Living Wage for Adult Employees*—New South Wales (State) Awards.

Date of Declaration.	Male.	Female.
Oct., 1920, for males; Dec., 1920, for females ...	85/- per week	43/- per week
8th Oct., 1921, for males; 22nd Dec., 1921, for females ...	82/- per week	41/- per week
12th May, 1922, and 29th Sept., 1922, for males ...	78/- per week	
9th Oct., 1922, for females ...		39/6 per week
10th April, 1923, for males and females ...	79/- per week	40/- per week
7th Sept., 1923, and 7th March, 1924, for males and females ...	82/- per week	41/6 per week
24th August, 1925, for males and females ...	84/- per week	42/6 per week
15th December, 1926, for males ...	84/- per week	
27th June, 1927, for males and females ...	85/- per week	46/- per week
20th December, 1929, for males and females ...	82/6 per week	44/6 per week

* Declarations of the basic wage for men prior to 1927 were fixed on the basis of a man, wife, and two children; that of June, 1927, was for man and wife only; and that of December, 1929, was for man, wife, and one child. Family endowment was introduced in 1927.

NOTE.—Current Living Wage rates of State Tribunals in other States in August, 1931, were:—Brisbane, 74s.; Adelaide, 75s.; Perth, 78s. In Melbourne and Hobart the Harvester Wage equivalent (as shown in footnote to Table 52) is generally applied.

No. 52.—“Harvester Wage” (New South Wales) adjusted according to Quarterly Index Numbers of Food, Groceries and Housing (all Houses) plus 3s. per week.

(Basic Rates upon which Federal Awards are usually varied.)

Date.	1930.		1931.		1932.	
	Sydney.	Newcastle.	Sydney.	Newcastle.	Sydney.	Newcastle.
1 February ...	£ s. d. 4 15 6	£ s. d. 4 8 0	£ s. d. 4 5 0*	£ s. d. 3 18 6*	£ s. d. 3 16 6*	£ s. d. 3 9 6*
1 May ...	4 12 0	4 5 0	4 2 6*	3 17 6*	.....	.....
1 August ...	4 11 0	4 4 0	4 1 0*	3 15 6*	.....	.....
1 November ...	4 8 0	4 2 0	3 18 6*	3 12 6*	.....	.....

NOTE.—The corresponding rates in the various capital cities on the 1st February, 1932, were:—Melbourne, £3 10s. 6d.; Brisbane, £3 5s.; Adelaide, £3 4s. 6d.; Perth, £3 7s. 6d.; Hobart, £3 12s. (*) Wages in Federal Awards (with some special exceptions) are subject to an Order of the Full Court reducing them by 10 per cent. for one year from 1st February, 1931, and, thereafter until further order. This reduction has not been applied in calculating the rates shown in this table and footnote.

No. 53.—Average Wholesale Prices in Sydney of Agricultural and Dairy Produce—Monthly.

Article.†	September Quarter, 1931.			December Quarter, 1931.			December Quarter, 1930.		
	July.	August.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.
Wheat (Milling) ... per bus.	s. d. 2 2'9	s. d. 2 1'9	s. d. 2 1'7	s. d. 2 7'5	s. d. 3 4'2	s. d. 3 2'4	s. d. 2 8'5	s. d. 2 7'2	s. d. 2 4'9
Flour (in 150-lb. bags)... per ton	£ s. d. 9 16 4	£ s. d. 9 15 0	£ s. d. 9 15 0	£ s. d. 9 18 7	£ s. d. 11 10 6	£ s. d. 11 0 0	£ s. d. 8 12 8	£ s. d. 8 3 6	£ s. d. 7 15 0
Bran per bus.	s. d. 8'30	s. d. 9'08	s. d. 9'41	s. d. 9'69	s. d. 10'74	s. d. 10'80	s. d. 11'83	s. d. 10'35	s. d. 9'88
Pollard "	s. d. 9'08	s. d. 9'34	s. d. 9'43	s. d. 9'77	s. d. 11'89	s. d. 12'00	s. d. 12'00	s. d. 11'55	s. d. 11'28
Oats "	s. d. 2 7	s. d. 2 6'8	s. d. 2 7'1	s. d. 1 5'3	s. d. 1 7'5	s. d. 1 4'4	s. d. 2 5'3	s. d. 1 9	s. d. 1 7'8
Maize "	£ s. d. 3 6	£ s. d. 3 3'1	£ s. d. 3 2'7	£ s. d. 3 2	£ s. d. 3 4	£ s. d. 3 6'3	£ s. d. 4 2'5	£ s. d. 3 11'8	£ s. d. 3 11'5
Hay (Oaten) per ton	s. d. 5 13 9	s. d. 5 16 10	s. d. 5 17 10	s. d. 6 12 10	s. d. 5 4 2	s. d. 6 12 11	s. d. 7 16 3	s. d. 6 7 6	s. d. 4 2 6
Potatoes (Local) "	s. d. 5 0 4	s. d. 6 1 4	s. d. 7 0 10	s. d. 8 10 7	s. d. 9 5 9	s. d. 7 9 6	s. d. 7 12 4	s. d. 8 7 9	s. d. 7 11 6
Butter (Choicest) ... per lb.	s. d. 16'50	s. d. 16'50	s. d. 15'87	s. d. 16'50	s. d. 15'96	s. d. 14'40	s. d. 16'43	s. d. 15'25	s. d. 14'59
Cheese (Prime) "	s. d. 8'82	s. d. 9'25	s. d. 8'98	s. d. 8'75	s. d. 8'30	s. d. 7'55	s. d. 9'08	s. d. 8'00	s. d. 7'15
Bacon (Sides) "	s. d. 8'73	s. d. 9'17	s. d. 9'19	s. d. 9'20	s. d. 9'79	s. d. 10'39	s. d. 9'53	s. d. 9'30	s. d. 9'40
Lard (Bulk) "	s. d. 8'25	s. d. 8'06	s. d. 8'00	s. d. 7'94	s. d. 7'75	s. d. 7'75	s. d. 9'50	s. d. 9'60	s. d. 9'75
Eggs (Case) per doz.	s. d. 1 2	s. d. 0 10'5	s. d. 0 9'6	s. d. 0 10	s. d. 0 10	s. d. 0 10'5	s. d. 0 9'4	s. d. 0 11'2	s. d. 1 1
" (Hen, New Laid)... .. "	s. d. 1 4	s. d. 1 0'5	s. d. 1 0	s. d. 1 0	s. d. 1 0	s. d. 1 2'4	s. d. 1 1'1	s. d. 1 1'7	s. d. 1 4'9

† New South Wales Produce, wherever quotes are available.

No. 54.—Index Numbers—Wholesale Prices, Sydney,

[Basis Year 1911=1000.]

Year.	Agricultural Produce. (13 items.)	Groceries. (26 items.)	Wool, Cotton, Leather and Jute. (9 items.)	Metals and Coal. (16 items.)	Building Materials. (17 items.)	Meat. (5 items.)	Dairy Produce. (8 items.)	Chemicals. (6 items.)	All Com- modities. (100 items.)
1911	1000	1000	1000	1000	1000	1000	1000	1000	1000
1912	1339	1036	968	1001	1079	1323	1133	980	1129
1913	1069	1033	1043	1039	1107	1379	1093	1003	1092
1914	1135	1016	1009	1079	1105	1669	1128	1220	1137
1915	1648	1093	976	1270	1137	2596	1349	1426	1401
1916	1163	1245	1367	1725	1241	2896	1380	1617	1489
1917	1127	1298	2093	2358	1421	3007	1440	1956	1727
1918	1377	1405	2614	2740	1685	2618	1487	2605	1933
1919	1990	1492	2501	2454	1879	2873	1718	2089	2090
1920	2430	1914	3079	2602	2415	3113	2236	2301	2503
1921	1750	1941	1471	2511	2259	1921	2020	1863	1956
1922	1638	1859	1595	2164	2074	1513	1735	1668	1800
1923	1720	1754	2061	2131	1994	2121	1939	1531	1925
1924	1475	1676	2408	2127	1988	2039	1671	1493	1874
1925	1680	1673	2094	2117	1895	2042	1612	1423	1854
1926	1892	1683	1652	2161	1893	1802	1760	1447	1834
1927	1767	1682	1633	2197	1957	1971	1831	1483	1840
1928	1456	1674	1798	2176	1937	1985	1763	1492	1785
1929	1707	1661	1656	2164	1953	2391	1842	1457	1863
1930	1428	1664	1384	2046	1941	2230	1571	1472	1710
1931	1061	1753	1326	2038	1972	1438	1386	1633	1553

Monthly—1929-31.

[Basis Year 1911=1000.]

1929.									
July ...	1771	1652	1637	2154	1967	2053	1851	1463	1841
August ...	1837	1652	1660	2154	1967	2355	1807	1463	1884
September ...	1929	1651	1669	2149	1966	2578	1784	1472	1923
October ...	1968	1674	1590	2149	1972	2677	1795	1456	1936
November ...	1870	1670	1533	2149	1972	2573	1731	1441	1890
December ...	1675	1673	1492	2149	1997	2671	1723	1441	1852
1930.									
January ...	1694	1670	1437	2159	1976	2690	1652	1464	1844
February ...	1570	1653	1392	2156	1976	2433	1705	1464	1787
March ...	1515	1653	1367	2156	1975	2338	1705	1464	1762
April ...	1574	1649	1398	2152	1957	2109	1675	1464	1751
May ...	1583	1643	1433	2153	1952	2085	1754	1476	1761
June ...	1550	1635	1412	2020	1916	2244	1749	1476	1742
July ...	1488	1650	1400	1941	1916	2575	1636	1464	1739
August ...	1482	1660	1413	1941	1926	2537	1556	1514	1734
September ...	1267	1668	1395	1965	1930	2206	1450	1514	1646
October ...	1245	1665	1312	1965	1921	1826	1363	1452	1582
November ...	1144	1690	1334	1966	1924	1939	1303	1452	1573
December ...	1025	1726	1318	1980	1923	1777	1302	1455	1538
1931.									
January ...	1096	1728	1219	1980	1920	1687	1357	1486	1535
February ...	1037	1742	1320	1980	1931	1516	1473	1599	1536
March ...	997	1746	1402	2004	1933	1753	1465	1615	1566
April ...	1050	1751	1423	2009	1934	1699	1457	1580	1576
May ...	1054	1749	1392	2009	1934	1607	1446	1603	1563
June ...	1060	1749	1354	2008	1936	1531	1457	1603	1552
July ...	1025	1767	1326	2059	2010	1535	1380	1664	1553
August ...	1011	1775	1279	2107	2018	1410	1345	1682	1537
September ...	1046	1772	1278	2076	2013	1481	1308	1683	1542
October ...	1082	1775	1305	2076	2011	1312	1333	1683	1540
November ...	1133	1773	1341	2076	2013	1433	1324	1683	1567
December ...	1145	1773	1279	2076	2013	1495	1284	1717	1563

† Subject to revision.

NOTE.—The actual prices of the various commodities are published in the "Statistical Register of New South Wales," and a description of the methods employed in constructing the index are published in the New South Wales Official Year Book for 1920, page 487. Index numbers for the years 1901 to 1921 were published on page 520 of the Official Year Book for 1921.

No. 55.—Average Retail Prices of Food and Groceries—Sydney.

Article.	Unit of Quantity.	1931.								1929.	1930.
		July.	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Dec.	Dec.	Dec.	Dec.
Bread	2-lb. loaf.	s. d. 0 5'48	s. d. 0 5'45	s. d. 0 5'45	s. d. 0 5'38	s. d. 0 5'43	s. d. 0 5'43	s. d. 0 5'43	s. d. 0 5'7	s. d. 0 5'0	
Flour	25-lb. bag.	3 9'4	3 8'8	3 8'6	3 8'8	3 11'2	4 0'1	4 6'3	3 5'0		
Tea	lb.	2 3'6	2 4'0	2 4'0	2 4	2 4	2 4	2 1'5	2 0'8		
Coffee and Chicory ...	"	1 11'5	1 11'6	1 11'5	1 11'5	1 11'5	1 11'5	2 2'1	2 1'0		
Sugar (small quantities)	"	0 4'6	0 4'6	0 4'6	0 4'6	0 4'6	0 4'6	0 4'6	0 4'6		
Rice	"	0 3'5	0 3'6	0 3'5	0 3'5	0 3'5	0 3'5	0 3'7	0 3'5		
Sago	"	0 3'3	0 3'3	0 3'3	0 3'3	0 3'3	0 3'3	0 3'3	0 3'3		
Jam (Australian) ...	"	0 6'4	0 6'5	0 6'5	0 6'5	0 6'5	0 6'6	0 6'9	0 6'2		
Oatmeal (plain) ...	5-lb. bag	1 2'5	1 2'9	1 2'9	1 3'2	1 3'2	1 3'2	1 9'0	1 6'7		
Raisins	lb.	0 8'2	0 8'1	0 8'1	0 8'4	0 8'4	0 8'2	0 9'2	0 8'6		
Currants	"	0 8'2	0 8'2	0 8'2	0 8'3	0 8'4	0 7'6	0 9'2	0 8'4		
Starch	"	0 9'4	0 9'3	0 9'3	0 9'5	0 9'5	0 9'5	0 9'4	0 9'4		
Blue	doz. sqs.	1 2'1	1 2'1	1 2'2	1 2'3	1 2'3	1 2'3	1 2'0	1 1'9		
Candles	lb.	0 10'7	0 10'7	0 10'7	0 10'7	0 10'8	0 10'8	0 10'3	0 10'7		
Soap	"	0 5'3	0 5'3	0 5'3	0 5'3	0 5'3	0 5'3	0 5'2	0 5'6		
Potatoes	14 lb.	1 4'1	1 4'7	1 6'4	1 8'8	1 11'2	1 8'2	2 3'3	1 9'3		
Onions	lb.	0 1'7	0 1'6	0 1'6	0 1'6	0 1'6	0 1'8	0 3'3	0 2'0		
Kerosene	gallon.	1 9'4	1 9'4	1 9'4	1 9'4	1 9'4	1 9'4	1 11'0	1 9'9		
Milk (Fresh)	quart.	0 7'0	0 7'0	0 6'9	0 6'9	0 6'8	0 6'8	0 8'7	0 7'8		
Butter	lb.	1 7'3	1 7'2	1 6'2	1 6'8	1 6'5	1 5'1	1 11'4	1 5'4		
Cheese (new & matured)	"	0 11'7	0 11'9	1 0'0	1 0'2	1 0'2	0 11'9	1 3'1	0 11'8		
Eggs, new-laid ...	doz.	1 7'6	1 2'7	1 2'4	1 2'4	1 2'7	1 4'8	1 9'1	1 7'6		
Bacon (Middle cut) ...	lb.	1 2'1	1 1'9	1 1'9	1 1'9	1 1'9	1 2'1	1 7'5	1 3'8		
" (Shoulder) ...	"	0 9'4	0 9'2	0 9'2	0 9'3	0 9'4	0 10'3	1 0'5	0 10'3		
Ham	"	1 5'5	1 4'9	1 4'9	1 5'1	1 5'3	1 5'1	1 11'2	1 6'5		
Beef (Fresh)—Sirloin...	"	0 9'2	0 9'0	0 9'0	0 8'9	0 8'9	0 8'9	0 11'9	0 10'9		
" Ribs	"	0 6'9	0 6'7	0 6'9	0 6'9	0 6'9	0 6'9	0 9'2	0 8'2		
" Flank	"	0 7'4	0 7'2	0 7'2	0 7'2	0 7'2	0 7'2	0 9'2	0 8'2		
" Gravy	"	0 5'7	0 5'5	0 5'5	0 5'5	0 5'5	0 5'5	0 6'4	0 6'2		
Steak—Rump ...	"	1 1'3	1 1'1	1 1'0	1 1'0	1 1'0	1 0'9	1 4'7	1 4'1		
" Shoulder...	"	0 7'4	0 7'1	0 7'1	0 7'1	0 7'1	0 7'0	0 9'0	0 8'5		
" Stewing...	"	0 6'6	0 6'3	0 6'4	0 6'2	0 6'1	0 6'1	0 8'0	0 7'6		
Beef (Corned)—Round	"	0 7'5	0 7'1	0 7'2	0 7'1	0 7'1	0 7'1	0 9'1	0 8'9		
Mutton—Leg ...	"	0 6'0	0 5'9	0 5'6	0 5'7	0 5'7	0 5'7	0 8'2	0 7'3		
" Shoulder ...	"	0 4'5	0 4'6	0 4'5	0 4'4	0 4'4	0 4'4	0 6'1	0 5'6		
" Loin	"	0 7'4	0 7'2	0 7'2	0 7'1	0 7'1	0 7'1	0 9'5	0 8'2		
" Neck	"	0 3'3	0 3'3	0 3'1	0 3'2	0 3'3	0 3'2	0 6'2	0 4'4		
Chops—Loin ...	"	0 7'8	0 7'5	0 7'5	0 7'4	0 7'4	0 7'4	0 10'6	0 9'6		
" Leg	"	0 7'2	0 7'0	0 7'0	0 7'0	0 7'0	0 7'0	0 9'5	0 8'9		
" Neck	"	0 5'7	0 5'6	0 5'6	0 5'6	0 5'6	0 5'6	0 7'8	0 6'9		
Lamb—Forequarter ...	"	0 6'2	0 6'1	0 6'2	0 6'0	0 6'0	0 6'0	0 7'9	0 7'3		
" Hindquarter...	"	0 8'4	0 8'2	0 8'3	0 8'2	0 8'1	0 8'1	0 11'2	0 9'9		
Pork—Leg	"	0 10'7	0 10'8	0 10'7	0 10'7	0 10'8	0 11'0	1 2'9	1 0'8		
" Loin	"	0 10'8	0 10'9	0 10'8	0 10'8	0 10'7	0 10'7	1 3'5	1 1'0		
" Belly	"	0 8'5	0 8'5	0 8'4	0 8'5	0 8'6	0 8'7	1 0'8	0 10'5		
" Chops	"	0 11'1	0 10'9	0 10'7	0 10'7	0 10'7	0 10'6	1 3'4	1 1'1		

NOTE.—The above Prices represent the average predominant rates ruling about the 15th day of each month.

No. 56.—Comparative Summary—New South Wales, 1871-1930.

	1871.	1881.	1891.	1901.	1911.	1921.	1930.
Area, 309,432 square miles (excluding 940 square miles of Federal Territory, 912 at Canberra and 28 at Jervis Bay).							
Population.							
31st December ... 1,000 persons	518	782	1,162	1,376	1,702	2,130	2,502
Births No.	20,143	28,993	39,458	37,875	47,677	54,634	52,136
Deaths rate	39.04	37.90	34.55	27.71	28.61	25.91	20.94
Marriages No.	6,407	11,536	16,286	16,021	17,179	20,034	21,252
Rate rate	12.61	15.08	14.26	11.72	10.32	9.50	8.54
Rate No.	3,953	6,284	8,457	10,538	15,267	18,518	17,383
Rate rate	7.78	8.21	7.41	7.71	9.17	8.78	6.98
†Land Settlement.							
Alienated holdings—							
31 acres and under 1,000 ... No.	*	29,393	33,668	42,614	49,251	50,166	*
Acres acres	*	6,520,387	8,422,014	10,332,903	12,878,652	15,315,331	*
1,000 to 10,000 acres ... No.	*	2,713	4,382	5,043	7,133	10,551	*
Acres acres	*	7,164,339	11,780,408	13,144,788	17,752,347	26,133,856	*
Over 10,000 acres ... No.	*	415	656	703	705	788	*
Acres acres	*	14,100,350	20,843,827	22,392,051	21,312,847	19,554,281	*
†Agriculture.							
Total area under crop ... 1,000 acres	393	584	846	2,277	3,382	4,464	5,501
Wheat (grain)—Area ... 1,000 acres	154	222	357	1,392	2,129	3,127	3,974
Yield bshl.	2,230	3,406	3,964	14,809	27,914	55,625	34,407
Average bshl.	14.5	15.4	11.1	10.6	13.1	17.8	8.7
Maize (grain)—Area ... 1,000 acres	120	117	175	167	213	144	108
Yield bshl.	4,016	4,331	5,722	3,845	7,594	4,176	3,036
Average bshl.	33.5	36.9	32.8	22.9	35.6	29.0	28.1
Hay—Area 1,000 acres	52	147	164	442	639	854	608
Yield 1,000 tons	77	199	209	473	843	1,375	687
Average tons	1.50	1.36	1.28	1.07	1.32	1.61	0.98
Value of all Agricultural production £000	2,220	4,216	3,615	7,060	9,749	32,373	15,438
Value per acre of all crops ... £	5/11/9	7/4/5	4/5/5	3/2/0	2/16/2	7/5/0	2/16/2
†Pastoral, Dairying, etc.							
Sheep No. (1,000)	16,279	36,592	61,831	41,857	48,830	37,750	48,720
Cattle No. (1,000)	2,015	2,597	2,129	2,047	3,194	3,375	2,686
Horses No. (1,000)	304	399	470	487	689	663	535
Pigs No. (1,000)	213	214	253	266	371	306	323
Wool (as in the grease) ... 1,000 lb.	74,401	161,676	375,600	310,075	404,655	275,269	459,970
Value at Sydney £000	4,760	7,187	11,059	9,072	13,264	13,763	20,123
Butter 1,000 lb.	*	*	18,363	39,057	83,205	84,268	105,022
Cheese 1,000 lb.	*	*	5,506	3,839	5,461	6,407	6,346
Bacon and Ham 1,000 lb.	*	*	6,010	11,081	16,103	16,257	21,616
Value of Pastoral, Dairying and Farmyard Production £000	8,719	13,151	17,460	15,635	27,120	36,783	43,307
Minerals Won.							
Gold 1,000 oz. fine	294	135	132	174	181	51	12
Value £000	1,250	574	559	737	769	217	53
Silver 1,000 oz.	...	...	730	448	1,767	1,963	5
Silver-Lead, ore, etc. ... ton	...	...	134,850	50,484	177,095	325,163	267
Value £000	...	...	147,780	417,078	338,460	53,507	279,513
Copper—Ingots and ore, etc. ton	...	...	3,485	1,804	2,266	539	2,089
Value £	11,828	4,124	2,710	6,733	12,100	499	242
Tin—Ingots and ore ... ton	...	267,884	119,195	412,292	590,102	41,267	8,347
Value £	...	6,433	1,657	659	1,929	1,595	590
Zinc—Spelter Concentrates ton	...	568,795	133,963	76,544	307,089	163,451	84,800
Value ... .. £	...	...	219	632	516,378	79,694	297,762
Coal 1,000 ton	899	1,770	4,038	5,968	1,414,980	283,455	986,087
Value £000	316	603	1,743	2,179	3,167	10,793	7,093
Value of Minerals Won (exclusive of coke, lime, and Portland cement) ... £000	1,626	2,138	6,399	5,575	9,225	12,066	10,094
Value of Minerals at the place of production ... £000	*	*	*	*	7,392	10,192	7,499
†Forests, Fisheries and Trapping.							
Value of Production ... £000	324	492	758	986	2,213	4,089	4,131
Primary Industries.							
Value of Production ... £000	12,889	19,997	28,232	29,256	46,474	83,437	70,375
†Factories.							
Establishments No.	1,813	2,961	3,056	3,367	5,039	5,837	8,208
Persons employed males	*	28,819	43,203	54,556	82,083	112,187	125,769
Persons employed females	*	2,372	7,676	11,674	26,541	32,824	41,921
Salaries and Wages paid ... £000	*	*	4,273	4,952	10,048	25,619	34,876
Value of Plant and Machinery £000	*	*	4,386	5,861	12,511	31,115	53,515
Value of Output £000	*	*	16,807	25,648	54,346	137,841	167,251
†Manufacturing Industry.							
Value of Production ... £000	2,490	5,183	7,799	10,011	19,432	43,128	66,848
Value of Production ... per head £	4/18/—	6/15/6	7/6/7	7/6/6	11/13/5	20/12/8	26/19/7
Production all recorded Industries ... £000	15,379	25,180	36,066	39,373	65,906	126,565	137,223
Value of Production ... per head £	30/5/3	38/18/3	31/11/7	28/15/10	39/11/6	60/10/11	55/7/7
†Shipping.							
Inwards, Vessels No.	1,891	2,254	2,602	2,760	3,127	3,019	2,623
Value net tons (1,000)	706	1,456	2,752	4,133	6,822	7,123	8,259
Outwards, Vessels No.	2,123	2,103	2,054	2,853	3,146	3,023	2,600
Value net tons (1,000)	794	1,330	2,801	4,274	6,834	7,122	8,188

* Information not available.

† Year ended 30th June.

No. 56.—Comparative Summary—New South Wales, 1871-1930—continued.

		1871.	1881.	1891.	1901.	1911.	1921.	1930.
†Trade.								
Imports, Oversea ...	£000	5,482	11,829	15,128	17,560	27,343	72,466	57,130
" per head ...	£	10/15/9	15/9/3	13/4/11	12/16/11	16/8/4	34/13/4	23/1/1
Exports, Oversea ...	£000	5,453	9,754	14,621	18,211	32,161	52,602	35,762
" per head ...	£	10/14/7	12/15/0	12/16/0	13/6/5	19/6/3	25/3/3	14/8/8
Interstate Transfers—								
Inwards ...	£000	4,453	5,758	10,256	9,368	•	•	•
Outwards ...	£000	5,808	6,554	11,323	9,140	•	•	•
†Produce of New South Wales Exported Oversea (See note).								
Wool (greasy, scoured, and wool tops) ...	1,000 lb.	38,323	81,907	235,471	217,286	297,829	180,782	325,289
£000		2,293	4,108	7,670	7,420	11,980	12,822	16,236
Wheat and Flour** ...	1,000 bus.	8	22	55	5,205	14,325	24,727	7,133
£000		2	5	12	681	2,519	11,191	1,658
Butter** ...	1,000 lb.	115	402	402	8,700	33,044	28,429	20,328
£000		27	12	18	379	1,519	3,458	1,444
Frozen Mutton and Lamb**	1,000 lb.	...	•	•	39,370	59,949	21,472	34,768
£000		...	•	•	382	682	631	777
Other Meats** ...	£000	131	192	198	490	981	1,347	872
Tallow ...	£000	245	244	293	303	871	615	429
Leather ...	£000	84	130	131	347	324	524	288
Skins and Hides ...	£000	38	130	376	431	1,145	1,912	2,875
Minerals and Ores (exclusive of Gold) ...	£000	249	1,214	1,392	1,893	4,073	7,088	2,558
Timber, undressed ...	£000	4	13	44	76	244	438	169
Total value of Produce of New South Wales Exported Oversea. (See note) ...	£000	4,059	8,153	11,215	13,268	27,491	48,303	33,878
†Public Finance.								
Revenue proper ...	£000	2,216	6,551	9,773	10,612	13,882	34,031	£19,751
" per head ...	£	4/7/2	8/11/3	8/11/2	7/15/6	8/9/6	16/5/7	£7/19/5
Expenditure proper ...	£000	2,667	626	10,216	9,992	14,471	34,477	£1,190
" per head ...	£	5/4/11	7/7/1	8/18/11	7/6/5	8/16/8	16/9/10	£8/10/7
General Loan ...	£000	489	2,397	4,750	2,785	3,922	14,701	10,879
" per head ...	£	0/19/3	3/2/8	4/3/2	2/0/10	2/7/11	7/0/8	4/7/10
†Public Debt.								
Total ...	£000	10,614	16,924	52,951	67,361	95,524	164,336	259,590
Per head ...	£	20/10/-	21/12/10	45/11/3	49/7/1	57/8/11	78/2/5	104/7/9
†Trading Banks.								
Deposits ...	£000	7,044	20,308	35,660	33,258	55,327	107,676	130,418
Advances ...	£000	7,668	20,936	45,069	35,069	42,457	104,709	151,024
Assets ...	£000	11,592	27,870	53,596	43,438	61,907	132,434	178,031
Liabilities ...	£000	8,017	22,394	37,590	35,078	57,755	111,409	139,991
†Savings Banks.								
Accounts ...	No.	24,379	72,384	158,426	306,311	544,023	1,126,157	1,729,553
Deposits ...	£000	946	2,699	5,342	11,809	25,361	57,394	82,268
Average per depositor ...	£	38/16/0	37/5/8	33/14/5	38/11/0	46/12/4	50/19/4	47/11/4
Average per inhabitant ...	£	1/16/6	3/9/0	4/11/11	8/11/7	14/1/3	27/5/8	33/1/8
†State Railways.								
Line open ...	miles	358	995	2,182	2,864	3,761	5,043	5,974
Capital cost ...	£000	5,887	13,302	31,769	38,933	50,972	82,304	126,318
Passengers ...	No. (1,000)	759	6,907	19,038	29,261	60,920	120,735	147,893
Net earnings ...	£000	158	706	1,143	1,456	2,351	3,235	2,864
Net return on capital invested ...	per cent.	2.68	5.30	3.59	3.78	4.67	4.01	2.28
†State Tramways.								
Line open ...	miles	...	94	43	79	190	227	211
Capital cost ...	£000	...	169	1,004	2,194	5,122	9,061	11,765
Passengers ...	No. (1,000)	...	7,090	68,051	93,704	230,276	337,690	307,790
Net Earnings ...	£000	...	10	53	89	222	528	278
Net return on capital invested ...	per cent.	...	6.16	5.32	4.06	4.53	5.93	2.36
†Postal.								
Offices ...	No.	570	1,128	1,728	2,208	2,490	2,609	2,676
Letters and Post Cards ...	No. (1,000)	7,509	26,534	68,987	82,783	189,656	262,026	•
" per head ...		94/77	34/68	60/41	60/56	113/87	125/35	•
Newspapers ...	No. (1,000)	3,902	16,528	42,517	52,318	71,619	63,261	•
" per head ...		7/86	21/60	37/23	38/27	43/00	30/26	•
†Telegraphs and Telephones.								
Telegraph Stations ...	No.	89	318	674	978	1,406	2,252	3,093
Telegrams and Cablegrams ...	No. (1,000)	219	1,607	4,046	3,449	5,864	8,586	6,843
Telephone Line Connections ...	No.	...	...	1,558	9,864	34,551	74,490	150,606
†Money Orders.								
Issued in New South Wales ...	£000	293	772	1,578	1,637	2,819	5,830	8,156
Paid in New South Wales ...	£000	272	675	1,519	1,670	2,949	5,897	7,949
State Education.								
Public Schools ...	No.	659	1,406	2,461	2,818	3,125	3,216	3,217
Teachers ...	No.	810	2,199	4,438	5,212	6,517	9,594	12,754
Scholars on roll ...	No.	39,070	144,119	206,438	210,588	221,810	315,228	380,645
Average attendance ...	No.	•	•	122,528	154,404	160,776	248,606	314,052
Expenditure by State ...	£000	133	509	770	762	1,243	3,559	4,485

* Information not available.

** Includes Ship Stores exported oversea.

† Year ended 30th June.

‡ Not comparable with previous years.

Note—The exports in 1921 and 1930 include articles produced in other States of Australia. Since 1st January, 1912, the Commonwealth Customs Department has classified all goods produced in the Commonwealth simply as "Australian," without distinguishing, as formerly, the particular State where they were produced.

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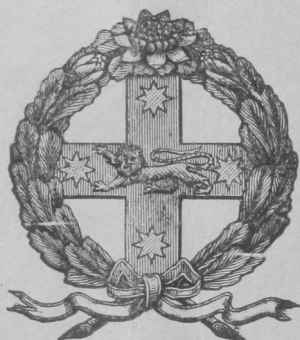
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